

HOW THE JAPS WON FIRST LAND BATTLE

WOMAN TAKES HER LIFE AT EMERYVILLE

RUSSIANS WERE DRIVEN BACK.

Japanese Make a Strong Stand and Drive Enemy From Their Position in Field.

LONDON, March 30.—The Japanese legation received the following official report from Tokio of the fighting between the Japanese and Russian forces at Chong Ju, Korea, Monday:

"On March 28, a portion of our cavalry and infantry forces occupied Chong Ju after defeating the enemy. The enemy, who numbered about 600 men, retreated in the direction of Wulu. Our casualties were Lieutenant Kano and four others killed, Captain Kurokawa and twelve others wounded of the cavalry force. There were no casualties among our infantry. Two dead bodies were left by the enemy on the field, but it is reported that some seven or eight were killed. These were promptly carried off by the enemy on horseback or by ambulance. The Russians were seen conveying in an ambulance two dead men, apparently officers, and bloodstained bandages were found scattered around. The enemy must have sustained losses at least equal to our own."

RUSSIAN SIDE OF THE BATTLE.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 30.—A late official despatch from General Mishchenko reports that on the authority of the inhabitants of Chong Ju, Korea, the Japanese lost forty men killed, one hundred wounded and a number of horses during the fighting there Monday. The Japanese employed five hundred Korean bearers to carry their wounded to Anju. General Mishchenko adds that Captain Stopinoff, who was among the Russian wounded, died yesterday.

JAPANESE DIET PASSES WAR TAX.

TOKIO, March 29, Tuesday, 9 p. m.—The special session of the Diet concluded its labors today, finally passing the series of war tax and financial measures proposed by the Government. It will finally adjourn tomorrow.

Almost the entire financial program submitted by the Cabinet was approved although changes were made. The amount to be raised annually by special taxation was reduced from \$34,000,000 to \$32,000,000. The Government plans to make up the deficit thereby created in the estimates by cutting down the administrative expenses.

Another change in the program was the refusal to sanction the creation of a salt monopoly.

An interesting feature of the financial legislation is the passage of an act authorizing the banks to issue savings prize debentures. The total issue of these debentures is limited to \$15,000,000 per year. The rate of interest and the amount of the prizes and a lottery drawing scheme are limited. The whole plan ends when the war is over. The Government has the right to borrow the money realized by the sale of the savings prize debentures, but the management, sale and redemption of the debentures is entirely in the hands of the bank. The changes in the customs tariff will be effective after six months. The articles include

nonferrous, preserves, silk, kerosene, sugar, molasses, syrup, grape de chene staine, manufactured tobacco; Chinese spirits and all alcoholic beverages containing over 25 per cent of alcohol.

Taxes are to be levied on woolen fabrics and kerosene. The tobacco monopoly was passed. The compensation to be made the manufacturers will be a sum equal to the amount of their sales for three years.

VESSELS MUST SHOW LIGHTS.

CHIEF POO, March 30 (2:30 p. m.)—It is officially announced that Vice Admiral Makarov, commander of the Russian naval forces at Port Arthur, has issued an official notification to the effect that all warships and merchant vessels entering the zone of operations at night without lights and during the day without flags will be considered hostile unless they stop when a blank shot is fired.

GIVES DECORATION TO A DEAD MAN.

TOKIO, March 30.—The Emperor has conferred the Order of the Rising Sun on Commander Hiroo Takao, who was killed during the Japanese attempt to bottle up the Russian fleet at Port Arthur Sunday last. A subscription has been inaugurated to erect a monument to Commander Takao.

GREAT BRITAIN WILL NOT INTERFERE.

NEWCHWANG, Tuesday, March 29.—Sir Ernest Satow, the British Minister at Peking, has informed the residents of that nationality in Newchwang that Great Britain will not interfere to keep a warship here and he advises them to accept the situation as it is. The British residents regard Minister Satow's letter as inadequate to the situation and severely criticize him.

RUSSIA NOT TO STRANGLE SHIPPING.

NEWCHWANG, Tuesday, March 29.—M. Prastieff, Viceroy Alexieff's financial agent, says that it is not Russia's intention to strangle the shipping trade at Newchwang and he consents to negotiate terms which will facilitate it.

Five merchant ships which arrived on Sunday last but were not admitted into the harbor until today, report that they saw a Russian fleet of nine warships cruising off Port Arthur at a distance of twelve miles out to sea. The protected cruiser Askold was further out acting as scout, while the forts ashore were making experimental shots under directions of the ships. A fleet of torpedo boats was also seen inshore.

The police were in force throughout after six months. The articles include

for Redding was coming down Ar-buckle mountain, forty-five miles west of Redding this morning, the earth suddenly shot down the mountainside, carrying the stage and horses with it.

The vehicle turned over three times in its rapid descent of 100 feet to the bottom of the canyon.

The stage was being driven cautiously along a stretch of road where the mountain had been slowly sliding down for weeks.

Wonderfully enough, the driver, Jack Miller, was uninjured and the horses escaped being hurt. There were no passengers.

The stage was ruined. It was left in the debris of the slide by Miller, who got out the horses and mail and made his way five miles to the next stage station where another vehicle was secured and the trip continued.



RUSSIAN REINFORCEMENTS ON THE MARCH IN MANCHURIA—COSSACKS CROSSING THE FROZEN RIVER LIAU-HO.

MRS. PAGE TAKES LIFE.

Unhappy Widow Jumps Into Temescal Creek and is Drowned.

EMERYVILLE, MARCH 30.—The body of Mrs. Barbara Page, the widow of the late Charles Page, who died about six months ago, and who was a resident in Golden Gate for sixteen years, was found floating in the Temescal creek at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

Mrs. Page had recently applied for a pension and had become depressed over it not being granted her. It is said she had been acting queerly ever since the death of her husband.

Early this morning Mrs. Page was missed from her home at 5157 Vallejo street and friends of the family started out in search of her. Her grandson whose name is Lindblom, called upon Judge Coburn at Emeryville and asked him to locate his grandmother.

On San Pablo avenue near the bridge

a piece of the dress she wore was found on a barb-wire fence. The search was continued and the authorities of the surrounding towns were notified to look out for her.

Her footprints were traced to where the Temescal Creek runs through the Emeryville race track. Here the body was found by race track employees.

The coroner was notified and a guard placed to prevent the race track spectators from crowding around the body. Much morbid curiosity was shown.

It is probable that the woman was demented and the impression obtained that she committed suicide.

Mrs. Page was 64 years of age and had for a long time previous to her death of her husband worked for the Government making clothes. She leaves two daughters, one of whom is the wife of a prominent tailor in Oakland.

LEVEE IN DANGER

Rivers Are Very High and Floods Are Feared.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 30.—In spite of the fact that the leak in the levee at Colusa which occurred last night released a quantity of water from the swollen river at that place, the river continues to rise and the danger

of much trouble in the lowland regions is still imminent.

Forecast Official McAuley has gone to the flooded districts to give personal study to the river question, his duties here being performed by his assistant, G. H. Willson. The situation is still a serious one. Mr. Willson said today: "The rivers are still very high and rising in some dangerous places. At San Joaquin bridge this morning the water registered 14.5 feet and rising; at Marysville, 17.8 feet, falling; at Colusa, 25 feet and rising. In spite of the break in the levee which relieved the pressure a good deal, flooding 15,000 to 20,000 acres of good land and doing great damage. Fair weather prevails over nearly all the Pacific slope today and the prospects are good for fine weather tonight and tomorrow."

SPECULATIVE SCHEMES.

SEOUL, March 30.—The Korean Progressionists claim to be disappointed at Marquis Ito having discouraged radical Government changes upon the occasion of his mission here, while, in reality, it is asserted, the action of the Marquis checks the alleged reformers' speculative schemes.

MRS. BOTKIN IS STYLISH.

Appears in the Courtrooms Attired as Though She Were Going to a Tea.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 30.—An outburst by Attorney George Knight, which called forth an admonition from Judge Carroll Cook, dramatic testimony by Carl Eisenschmel, the handwriting expert, and the debarment of the defendant in a radiant new gown, were the leading features of the morning session at the trial of Mrs. Cordelia Botkin today.

The greater portion of the morning was taken up by the experts on handwriting, who went into exhaustive comparisons of Mrs. Botkin's penmanship with the vast array of "exemplars" with which the courtroom is accented.

MRS. BOTKIN'S SPRIGHTLINESS. Bonaunt in demeanor and light of step, Mrs. Botkin airily tripped into court at the opening of the morning session. She appeared to be unusually lighthearted and gave no indication of mannerisms that might be expected of a person on trial for her life. She glanced repeatedly at the motley and curious throng that filled the courtroom lobby and gave a haughty sniff at the spectators as she finally assumed her seat.

DEFENDANT LAVISHLY GOWNED. Unusually elaborate was Mrs. Botkin's customary gown of black this morning. From the tips of her high-heeled patent leather boots to the artistic creation in millinery that she wore, the woman who is the cynosure of all eyes represented the latest fashion plates.

Covering Mrs. Botkin's natty costume of black was a rich silk cloak, also of black, and lined with a flashy purple. Evidently proud of her lavish habiliments, the woman who is on trial for her life dramatically threw her cloak over the back of her chair in a manner that effectively displayed it to the eager gaze of the courtroom throng.

FIRST WITNESS CALLED. John A. Hosmer, who was an Assistant District Attorney at the former trial of Mrs. Botkin, was briefly examined at the opening of the session as to evidence given at the first trial regarding Mrs. Botkin's handwriting. Attorney McGowan strenuously objected to the admission of the evidence but was overruled.

HANDWRITING IDENTIFIED. Mrs. Alimrah Ruoff was called to the stand to identify exemplars of the defendant's handwriting. Again were McGowan's objections overruled.

LIVELY TIME FOR AMES. When Daniel T. Ames, the handwriting expert, was placed on the stand for further examination, Attorney McGowan sought to discredit his title of "expert." The attorney asked the defendant to prove that he was the graduate of any school for handwriting experts.

EXPERT IS QUESTIONED. McGowan called attention to testimony given by Ames upon handwriting in the Frank Elliston case. The attorney declared that Ames had admitted he had made a mistake in the case at the time it was tried, but as it occurred twenty years ago, Ames said he could not remember the incident.

MIGHT MAKE MISTAKE. Ames admitted that he had made a single mistake in the 1300 cases in which he had given testimony. "Anybody is liable to make a mistake," said Mr. Ames.

SPECTATORS GROW WEARY. The spectators grew weary as the tedious examination of the "handwriting expert" went on and the bailiff was compelled to loudly rap for order as the crowd grew uneasy.

EXPERT EISENSCHMEL CALLED. But the lawyers revelled in the delving into the science of chirography and Carl Eisenschmel was called to the stand. He was put through the same stereotyped series of questions to which Ames had been subjected and the crowd still continued to jeer. The expert was positive that the anonymous letters, the wrapper that enclosed the fatal box of candy and the accredited writing of Mrs. Botkin were all in the same hand.

JUDGE WARNS KNIGHT. The stormy scene of yesterday's session, in which Attorney Knight was threatened to be sent to jail for contempt of court, nearly had a repetition when the lawyer, in a dramatic manner, interrupted Expert Eisenschmel in the examination of his comparison of Mrs. Botkin's writing with the exemplars.

The expert was telling that the small letter "C," through its particular boldness and height, was a strong permanent habit and characteristic of the defendant's chirography. He went on to explain that the letter "C" was made small but once by Mrs. Botkin's writing and that was when it was written dimly at the end of the "Budd" letter on account of the lack of facilities of space.

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In the above is shown subscriptions to date in the Birch fund.

MR. MORAN'S NOTE.

The following was received this morning:
"Editor TRIBUNE:—Enclosed please find check for ten (\$10.00) dollars for Mrs. E. M. Birch and family fund. Wishing you success in your work of charity, I remain, Yours truly,
"J. T. MORAN."

The contribution is acknowledged above.

The tragic death of Lester Birch, the little special delivery messenger of the local postoffice, which deprived his mother, Mrs. Ella Birch and her surviving children of their only support, has made a strong appeal to the charity of many people and, as a consequence, subscriptions are coming in in a liberal manner to THE TRIBUNE for the relief of the bereaved and destitute mother and children who are both sick and needy.

THEATRES HELP.

The management of "Pex" and the (Continued on Page 2.)

CREDITORS' AUCTION SALE

We have received instructions to sell a car load of brass and enameled beds, a car load of chairs and rockers. These goods are new and direct from the factory. We will also sell the fine furniture of Captain L. O. Jansen. Sale at 964 Franklin street, near Ninth, Oakland, Sale Friday, April 1, at 10:30 a. m.

Comprising in part: 400 solid and massive brass beds, enameled beds, 600 solid oak dining chairs and rockers. To be sold by order of the creditors.

We will also sell the fine furniture, carpets, piano, etc., of Captain Jansen, comprising in part: One fine upright piano, 600 parlor pieces, Brussels carpets, one sewing machine, lace curtains, massive oak and walnut bedroom suit, folding beds, massive walnut wardrobe, cost \$175; bedside maple chair, elegant oak sideboard, dining table, silverware and cutlery, kitchen furniture, etc., etc.

Open for inspection Thursday, from 3 to 5 p. m.
J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers, Office, 1501 Park street, Alameda, Cal.; Tel. Alameda 35. Rooms 412-413, Call Bldg., San Francisco; Phone Main 5137.

GOES OVER A GRADE.

Mail Stage Near Redding Drops One Hundred Feet.

REDDING, Cal., March 30.—As the mail stage bound from Harrison Gulch

MANY AMENDMENTS TO THE POSTOFFICE BILL.

An Increase in Allowance and Clerks is Made in Many Departments.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—The postoffice appropriation bill, as amended by the Committee on Postoffices and Postroads was printed and placed in the hands of Senators today. Among the amendments not heretofore announced from the committee are the following:

For separating mails at third and fourth class postoffices the appropriation is reduced from \$1,900,000 to \$800,000.

For allowance to third class postoffices where the salaries of the postmasters exceed \$1000 per annum, to cover the cost of clerical service, \$500 provided that no allowance in excess of \$400 shall be made to any one office.

Among the new items inserted in the bill by the Senate Committee are the following:

For compensation to seven assistant superintendents, salary and allowance division, at the rate of \$2000 a year, \$14,000.

An increase of \$50,000 is made for internal transportation by steamboat and other power boat routes.

The Senate Committee struck out of the House bill the appropriation of \$300,000 for the performance of mail messenger service by underground electric cars. Provision is made for the fulfillment of the existing contracts for the ten-inch pneumatic tube in Boston at the rate of \$16,000 per mile, to be paid from the appropriation of \$50,000 for transmission of mail by pneumatic tubes.

The age limit of fifteen years on cars used in the railway postal service was stricken out by the Senate Committee.

In the railway mail service the number of clerks in various offices has been increased materially as follows:

In Class 6, at \$1500, the increase being from 247 to 271; in Class 5, at \$1400, from 1,215 to 1,280; in Class 4, at \$1300, from 515 to 545; in Class 3, at \$1200, from 1,591 to 1,773; in Class 2, at \$1000, from 4,112 to 4,431; in Class 1, at \$800, from 1,989 to 2,093; in Class 1, at \$500, from 789 to 830.

In all, the increase is from \$12,951,000 to \$13,545,000.

The Senate Committee has limited the per diem allowance for Assistant Superintendents to an amount not exceeding \$5000 a year.

Increases in appropriations for the office of Third Postmaster General have been made as follows: For the manufacture of postal and special delivery stamps from \$400,000 to \$422,000; for the distribution of stamps \$9000 to \$12,000; for the distribution of stamped envelopes and wrappers from \$15,000 to \$20,000.

SHE WAS ROASTED BY THE JUDGE.

MRS. C. J. GRAY COMES IN FOR A SCORING IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Because she did not like real estate agent, G. Austin, Mrs. C. J. Gray burned up legal notices served upon her husband without his knowledge and this morning a suit of damages brought against the Grays by E. H. Kowalski, the owner of the property, was decided against the plaintiff. Judge Ellisworth, however, was constrained to give Mrs. Gray a roast from the bench under which she broke down and cried.

The Grays live at 202 Eighth street and Kowalski had raised the rent on them. There was a tangle over the matter and in order to observe the legal form in the matter, notice to leave the premises was served on Mrs. Gray verbally and the next day a legal notice was mailed to the husband. Mrs. Gray said nothing about the notice she had been given to her husband, and the next day when the legal notice came she threw it into the fire and said nothing about it.

The trial of the suit progressed favorably enough for the plaintiff this morning until it came to showing that notice was served on the occupants of the premises. Gray denied that he had been given notice and the wife was then put on the stand by the attorney for Kowalski and she confessed to help part of the affair and said she had done this because she did not like Austin.

Judge Ellisworth stated that under the circumstances Gray could not be held liable and gave a decision in his favor. Continuing, however, he said to Mrs. Gray that she had committed a felony against the United States mail laws and that her action was reprehensible. Under the words of the Judge she broke down and cried and was led out of the courtroom by the husband who tried to comfort her.

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writer did not have the "facilities," roared Knight.

"I further object to the verbiage and swing of the witness' arms."

Knight's manner was so aggressive that Judge Cook was compelled to warn him.

"I object to the verbiage and swing of the counsel's voice," jeeringly interposed District Attorney Byington.

EXPERT'S TECHNICAL TALK.

By means of a blackboard the expert compared each letter of the alphabet as written in the Botkin exemplar with the writing the prosecution is seeking, to fasten on the defendant. He talked about the "pictorial" effect of the so-called "Botkin letters" and of "co-ordinate muscular functions" until the spectators again shuffled about uneasily.

MRS. BOTKIN WRITES.

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Begin to announce the consolidation of their individual firms and further make public that their future business interests will pass through the Delger Building, Offices 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85.

EASTER WEAR FOR EASTER WEEK

Easter wearables—daintiest confections of milliners and garment designers; most fetching productions of neckwear, glove and shoemakers; finest weaves from the looms of St. Gall and Southern France—great your eye this week. Some of them have come by express today. Others might have been yours days ago, had not the rain kept you indoors. Everything your fancy may elect and purse purchase is here.



The Man's Easter Outfit

Just as much time and thought has been spent in selecting the things for the man's Easter wear as for Milady's.

Neckwear

Woven on hand looms, by the peasants of Provence, Placetis has been adopted by New York's foremost neckwear maker as the material for his spring cravats. It has the sheen of silk and the wear and washable qualities of cotton. Its patterns and colorings are beautiful beyond description. Special emphasis has been laid by our buyer on his assortment of Easter shades.

50c each

In silk, moleskin, lustrous and soft as the fur from which it takes its name, has sprung into popularity. We show moleskin Ascots and four-in-hands in a large variety of Easter patterns.

\$1.00 each

Shirts

As always, the Monarch white linen shirt is in greatest demand by good dressers. A new production, "Ovalene," has entered the field. It will be worth your while to see it. Shirts at from

\$1.00 to \$3.00 each

Gloves

Nothing is so appropriate for the church-goer as gray Mothas. They are shown lined with gray silk or unlined at

\$1.50, \$1.85 and \$2.00 per pair

Dainty Easter Gifts

By people of refinement, perfumes have been chosen as the daintiest of Easter gifts. We are fortunate in having the agency for a number of the best New York and Paris perfumes, and on that account can offer you extracts which cannot be found elsewhere.

Hudnuth perfumes in all odors—1 ounce bottles50c

Roger & Gallet's Peau d'Espagne, Bouquet des Armoirs and other odors75 cents per ounce

Roger & Gallet's Vera Violetta—85c per ounce; 1 1/2 ounce bottle, \$1.15

Pivers' Parisian La Trefle Incarnate and Azura—85c per ounce . . . \$1.25

Hubigants' Ideal Extract \$3.50 per bottle

Easter Belt News

Our buyers have drawn on both New York and Paris for their Easter belts. The result is an unsurpassed assortment. Black silk girdle belts in greatest variety at

from \$1.00 to \$2.00 each

Gold bullion belts \$1.00 to \$3.00 each

Elastic belts studded with cut steel beads—a French novelty . . . \$1.00 to \$5.00

Belts of heavy Bulgarian embroidery \$3.00 each

EASTER SPECIAL—Belts of black taffeta with gold trimmings—easily worth 75 cents at 50c each

Easter Veils

As one of the most important features of the Easter costume, great care has been taken in the selection of our Easter veils.

Mesh drop veils, plain, dotted or with chenille borders, in black and colors—1 1/2 yards long 50c each

Shaded chiffon drape veils \$1.25 each

Veils of real applique lace \$20.00 to \$100.00

Easter Hosiery

For Easter shoppers our hosiery department offers two specials which mean a considerable saving to you.

Transparent hosiery hose in black or tan with high spliced heel, double sole and the new untearable garter tops 50 cents the pair

Black hosiery thread hose in spring's most favored embroidered effects 75 cents the pair

More Easter Gifts

Because of their use upon the altars of our churches, vases and candlesticks are especially appropriate for Easter gifts. In our Art Department, they are to be seen in largest variety, in Scotch and Bohemian Crystal, cut glass, brass and wrought iron. A few special offerings prepared for Easter week are mentioned below.

Vases of Bohemian glass, shaded in red or green—9 inches high—marked 45 cents—special price 25 cents

Candelabra of Venetian wrought iron in beautiful leaf and flower patterns—two prongs—price, including candles and shade \$1.00 each

Colonial candlesticks of cut glass—8 inches high . . . \$1.50

Vases of Austrian crystal with cut edges—6 inches high 35 cents

Footwear for Churchgoers

Fashion has decreed that Oxfords shall have the call this season. As patent leather is always the approved material for church wear, you will find the two styles described below of particular interest.

Oxfords of "Ideal" patent kid, with matt top, turned sole, Louis Quinze heel and the new plain toe—a very smart shoe \$3.50 the pair

Three-button Oxfords of patent calf—matt top, light welt sole and military heel \$3.50 the pair

For Milady's Wrist

From Paris we have recently received a large assortment of leather wrist and automobile bags. Every color, every leather, every style, every price is represented.

EASTER SPECIAL—Wrist bags in tan, brown, gray and black, sea lion grain, with leather handle, card case and purse. Value \$1.50—for \$1.00 each

Of great beauty and rich design are our French silk bags. Their foundation is white moire and they are magnificently embroidered with gold and iridescent spangles, and heavily mounted in gold and silver . . . \$17.50 each

Easter Neckwear

Never has a larger, more complete, and beautiful assortment of neckwear been shown upon the coast than that which now graces our windows and show cases. Of the more than five hundred styles that await your pleasure, we can today hint at but a few.

Washable stocks of embroidery, lawn and Oxford cheviot in white, Persian effects and colors 25c each

Persian, Bulgarian and Oriental embroidered stock collars 25c to 75c each

Fifth avenue bows of silk taffeta with hemstitched collar 50c each

EASTER SPECIAL—Stock collars of fine Venise lace in white and ecru. In value 35c—in price 25c

Ribbons and Ribbon Confections

Ribbons for belts, ribbons for bows, ribbons for stocks, ribbons for hats—they are here; Paris' latest fad, New York's newest craze. Should you prefer to purchase a rosette, a bow, a stock, an artificial flower of ribbon, you will find it here as well.

Fifth avenue bows tied during Easter week free of charge.

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BROADWAY FOURTEENTH

FINED \$20,000.

Copper Magnate Given a Heavy Sentence By Judge.

BUTTE, Mont., March 30.—F. A. Heinze, the Montana copper magnate, was today fined \$20,000 by Judge Beatty in the suit brought against Heinze et al. by the Butte and Boston Company, alleging the loot of the Michael Devitt lode. J. H. Treise and Alfred Frank were fined \$1000 each and Carlos Warfield was found not guilty and discharged.

DISMISSES CHARGE.

The charge of failure to provide for a minor child, preferred against Brakeman Muthern, was dismissed on the motion of the prosecuting attorney in the Police Court this morning. It was shown that Muthern had provided for his child.

RUSSIANS WERE DRIVEN BACK.

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the shipping district here when these ships arrived and were active in enforcing their authority established by the recent order promulgated by Viceroy Alexieff.

ALL IS QUIET ALONG THE YALU.

NEWCHWANG, Tuesday, March 29.—A reliable report from the vicinity of the Yalu river states that everything is quiet in the interior cities. Native theaters are running and the Chinese are undisturbed except at Antung, where all the large shops have been closed. The natives have been forbidden to cross or re-cross the Yalu river.

The natives believe that the troops on the Yalu river do not exceed 40,000. Travelers report having seen troops under strenuous march on the Feng Huang Chang road, footsore and weary. The bridges, which are largely temporary, are partly inundated owing to the melting snows and rains.

TEACHERS PASS RESOLUTIONS.

INSTITUTE ONE OF THE MOST SUCCESSFUL EVER HELD IN THE COUNTY.

The most successful Teachers' Institute ever held in Alameda county came to a conclusion at noon today amid very auspicious circumstances, which augurs well for future meetings of a similar character.

During the three days' session there were a series of six lectures delivered which will live long in the memory of those who heard them. President David Starr Jordan's three addresses as well as those of Professor Moses formed the principal topics of discussion among the teachers between the teachers to concentrate their efforts

Easter Shoes in Great Variety at The Oakland Shoe House.

We have been housed in the Bacon Building for more than a month during which time we have received more than one hundred and fifty cases of the latest styles—shoes and slippers suitable for spring and summer wear. We are at a serious disadvantage in not having display windows in which to place our Spring Novelties for inspection but we have them on the shelves and can display them to advantage in our showrooms.

Very little time remains before Easter. We would request those who can make it convenient to do so to come in the early part of the day and avoid the afternoon crowds. Prices are very reasonable and the variety great.

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THE LATEST NEWS.

SUES THE STATE FOR \$2,000,000.

Montgomery Avenue Bonds Bob Up Again.

SACRAMENTO, March 30.—A claim for nearly \$2,000,000 against the State of California was today filed by E. B. Holaday, an attorney at San Francisco, with W. S. Melick, secretary of the State Board of Examiners. The claim for the money is made by the Union Trust Company of San Francisco to recover from the State the sum of \$847,000, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent amounting to \$1,152,750, running since 1873.

A special act was passed by the Legislature in 1872 by which a Board of Public Works was created in San Francisco. Bonds were issued by this board for the opening, widening and extending Montgomery avenue. The bonds were known as Montgomery avenue bonds. Later, when the bonds were attacked in court it was shown that there was not a sufficient frontage of property attached to the petition, so the bondholders went into the courts and there has been a contest on for many years. The bondholders always brought suit against the city of San Francisco. The State Supreme Court and the United States Circuit Court have both held that liability does not attach to the city.

Now Holaday has brought suit against the State, holding that the State is liable because that Board of Public Works was the agent of the State, specifically made so by an act of the Legislature and as an agent of the State had failed to note that the petition was not sufficient.

Secretary Melick said that the claim would be taken up at the next meeting of the Board of Examiners and would, no doubt, be rejected by that body. The trust company will then be in a position to take the matter up in the courts.

WILL RAISE OUR FLAG AGAIN.

NEWCHWANG, Tuesday, March 29 (Delayed in transmission).—Under a strong representation made by United States Consul Henry B. Miller that the Civil Administrator had invaded neutral rights when he ordered the lowering of the American flag from buildings belonging to American citizens, even though it was done through the apprehension that the flag was illegally used by Chinese for the purpose of resisting police inspection, the Civil Administrator has promised to deny and in proper form, through the military, to raise the flag over the building from which it was removed. The British flag, which was also taken down, will also be allowed to remain.

WHALE KILLED BY RUSSIAN MINE.

VLADIVOSTOK, Tuesday, March 29.—One of the mines in Poset bay has been exploded by a whale. The mangled carcass subsequently was washed ashore. It bore evidence of the destructive qualities of the mines laid by the Russians in expectation of a Japanese landing at Poset bay.

Commercial Accounts

Every person who receives or pays out money should have a Commercial Account, and draw checks against it, for it is safer and more convenient to make payments by check than to use cash.

If a receipted bill is lost, the cancelled check remains and is a permanent and certain evidence of payment.

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SENT TO SANQUENTIN FOR FORGERY

Former Member of the Legislature is Given Two Years.

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BIG JUMP IN PRICE OF MEAT.

The announcement was made today that the Wholesale Butchers have raised the price of meat one cent and one half per pound. M. C. W. Steinback of the Crystal Market, 22 Telegraph avenue, when spoken to about the matter this afternoon, said:

"Yes, it is true that the Wholesale Butchers have raised on a cent and a half a pound. This market has not yet raised the price on the retailers, but if we are compelled to pay a cent and a half more to the wholesaler, we will certainly have to do something with the consumer. I hope the matter will be straightened out."

Many of the restaurants have had to pay the one and a half cent raise today. The raises on prime cuts is three cents. This is what the consumer will have to pay.

PYTHIANS TO HOLD A STREET FAIR.

The Knights of Pythias have petitioned the Board of Public Works for permission to hold a street fair during the last week in April. The petition is presented by P. J. Ryan and B. Bock. The location of the proposed street fair will be between Tenth and Eleventh streets and Grove and Jefferson.

KECK BEING EXAMINED.

The preliminary hearing of Joseph Keck, charged with stealing a box containing \$200 from the store of Mrs. A. J. Rerut at Fruitvale, was begun today before Justice of the Peace Geary. Constables Carroll and Dearborn took the stand and told the story of how they found the box with a part of the money under the steps of Keck's home. A. Blum, Keck's thirteen-year-old stepbrother who was also arrested under the belief that he may have had something to do with the affair, has had no complaint made against him so far.

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The hearing of the \$25,000 damage suit brought by Mrs. Sadie C. Caspar against the Oakland Transit Consolidated was begun before Judge Ogden this afternoon. It is alleged by Mrs. Caspar that she was getting off a car at Twelfth street and Broadway when the car started up and threw her to the ground and inflicted injuries that necessitated her going to the County Infirmary.

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MAKING A FIGHT FOR FREEDOM.

Hyde and Dimond Plead to Be Dismissed.

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Attorney Wheeler, for the defense, declared that the District of Columbia had no right to try the case, as the sixth amendment to the Constitution of the United States provides that when a crime is committed the trial for the same shall be held in the district or State in which the crime was committed.

Attorney Healey, for the prosecution, admitted that for the offenses charged against Hyde and Dimond the trial could take place either in Oregon or California, but under the indictment such could not be the case, as the indictment charges the crime to have been committed in the District of Columbia.

A. S. Pugh, assistant attorney of the Interior Department, answering Mr. Wheeler, denied that the indictment charged the crime to have been committed outside of the District of Columbia. No mention is made of any crime committed in the State of Oregon or the State of California, hence the trial must necessarily take place in Washington.

PEOPLE LIVE ON HOUSETOPS.

THREE PEOPLE DROWNED BY DESTRUCTION OF A FARM-HOUSE.

PEDMONT, Mo., March 30.—Black River has steadily risen during the past week until today it is five feet higher than any previous record. The country is inundated for miles, buildings being floated from their foundations, thousands of feet of lumber being destroyed.

Three persons were drowned near here in the destruction of a farm house. At Mill Springs many are living on their house-tops.

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"Remember that nation, in the person of the commander of one of its men-of-war at Chemulpo refused to join in the collective protest of the other foreign commanders before the Japanese destroyed the Varig and Korietz."

"Remember whose flag alone among all did not take on board the crews of our perishing ships. To the honor of England, the ally of Japan, it was not her flag that flew on the commander of an American ship."

"The Americans wish to convert the Pacific into an American Mediterranean. Would that be to the advantage of England? Does England not understand in her blind policy her hatred toward Russia that she is turning this ocean into an American Mediterranean. Sooner or later the European countries will recognize that America is their mutual enemy. Why should not Russia and England, in view of their possessions outside of Europe, combine?"

RACE ENTRIES FOR TOMORROW.

Six and a half furlongs, selling; four-year-olds and upward.

6367 Myrtle Hill 100
6436 Volhurst 100
6208 Jim Roberts 100
6414 Petrolia 100
6310 Cathello 100
6426 Impromptu 100
6436 Bright Moon 100
6438 Cane 100
6435 Cardie 100

SECOND RACE.

One and a half miles, pure bred, two-year-olds.

6445 Heredia 100
6449 Disproportionableness 100
6449 Head Buster 100
6449 Lampenia 100
6207 Cardinal Sarto 100
6310 Cathello 100
6436 Bright Moon 100
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THIRD RACE.

Six and a half furlongs, selling; four-year-olds and upward.

6306 Shear Mount 100
6426 Bright Moon 100
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FOURTH RACE.

One mile, selling; three-year-olds and upward.

6470 Pat Morrissey 100
6475 Ido 100
6462 Inspector Manro 100
6470 Antra 100
6488 Northwest 100
6425 Ada N 100

FIFTH RACE.



SPORTS



FAVORITE'S DAY RUBE TURNER AT TRACK. VICTOR.

REEVES SETS THE PACE IN FIRST RACE AND OTHERS FOLLOW. PUTS OUT JACK CORDELL IN THE ELEVENTH ROUND.

In the deep mud at the Emeryville race track yesterday Reeves walloped in to the wire without any trouble in the first race. The horse was the favorite and with the field he was in looked sure to everybody and came home with ease. His closing price was 6 to 5. Bonner rode Reeves to win in a pretty race and took the victory by three lengths. The fight was between the next three horses for place. Educate made a good bid and Salto pushed along hard. Tom Slavin, who was bet upon to be sure in the money, could not land, but pressed his way hard and finished fourth. Educate managed to get the second place with Salto third. Tom Slavin was a quiet tip but disappointed. Scherzo was left at the post. These horses also ran in the order named. Salto, Tom Slavin, Col. Ballantine, Ball Room Belle, Titus, Varro and Scherzo. Zenonian, Vasallo and Thank Haven also ran. The time for the fourth race was 1:15.

Arisbe was certainly the best thing in the second race and the favorite in the betting, closing at 7 to 10. The field was outclassed. It was a sure thing and Ois rode the best horse best. Sea Air was a likely proposition, according to the talent, and though she made a strong showing was unable to get the shadow of the wire over him. George P. McNear stumbled several times and once badly at the finish, but had no chance of winning anyway. Sea Air was second and Stover's colt third. Inspector Hahn won fourth. Silco closing at 2:10 to 1. The betting and odds were as follows: Sea Air, 7 to 10; Stover's colt, 10 to 1; Inspector Hahn, 10 to 1; Silco, 10 to 1. The time for the sixth race was 1:27.

What the favorites were doing in the first three races was again repeated in the fourth race by another favorite, Galanthus. The race started off in a bumping match and Diderot and Galanthus showed an unenviable rivalry. In fact, the whole field was in a crowding match. Galanthus soon got his place and lead by three lengths at the turn into mile. O. L. U. made some ground but Chikadee made the pace and back blow for blow. The bout was pronounced a draw by Charlie Tye.

Jim Griffin acted as referee in the second contest between McConnell and Rube Smith. Rube Smith got into the ring first and was applauded by his many admirers. He looked fit and ready to make good. McConnell, though not in the best of form, came into the ring and was greeted with "you, you, you, George" and was cheered by the crowd. The bout was pronounced a draw by Charlie Tye.

McConnell had the best part of the first half of the round. Smith came to in the middle with some right and left staggered to chin and jaw. Mac then put a few jabs to Rube's face and came back strongly. Smith was all there and fought an aggressive fight. Scuffling at the going.

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An immense crowd was in attendance at the Turner-Cordell fight at the Reliance Athletic Club last night. Long before the hour of opening the doors the ring patrons filled the square in front of the Reliance and as was predicted by THE TRIBUNE a second Corbett-Britch bunch at the doors was the order of the night.

The betting on the two men was registered in the afternoon at 10 to 1 in favor of Turner and the sentiment of the fight followers was that he was a sure winner.

The management of the ring's procedure was good and George Mahoney the matchmaker deserves credit for his business-like laying out of the night's program.

The gallery as well as the pit cried for the bout to commence and hisses decorated the air when the first preliminary was not called at 8:30 as was expected.

Young Dempsey got into the ring at 8:30 and his opponent, Kid Kennedy, followed in a few minutes. The crowd settled down and things looked more serious.

When Billy Jordan got into the ring he received an ovation. He at once called for Charlie Tye to show up and referee the contest. Billy announced that the boys would fight Marquis of Queensbury and break at the order of the referee.

The first preliminary was between Young Dempsey and Kid Kennedy and was a good show. Dempsey in the first round used his right and had a good down punch. His right was best.

In the second round Kennedy did the forcing and landed rights and lefts. Dempsey came back strongly and put some good ones to the kid's head and staggered him. Dempsey had the best of the round.

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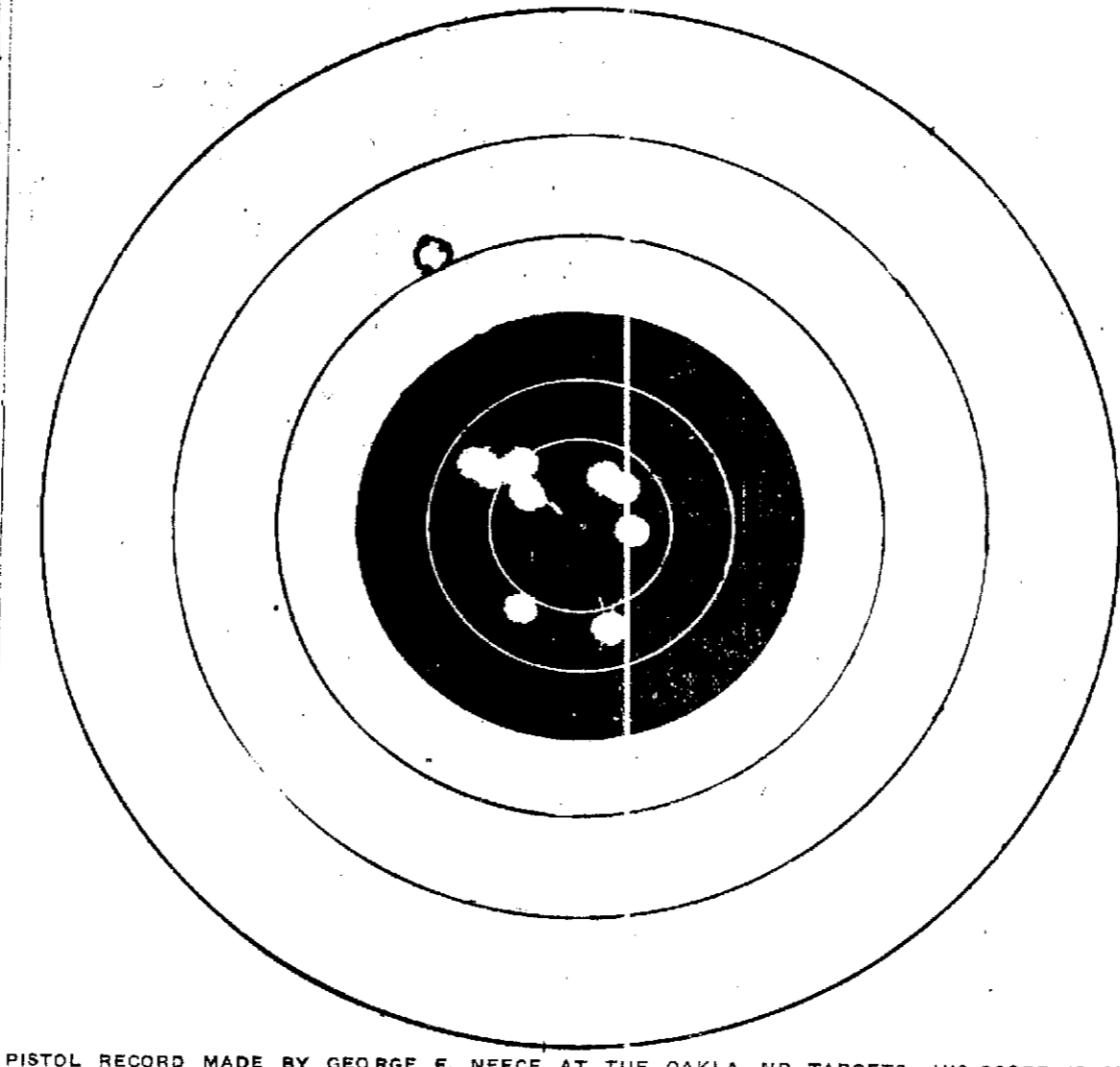
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PISTOL RECORD MADE BY GEORGE F. NEECE AT THE OAKLAND TARGETS. HIS SCORE IS 95.

best of the war, but Mac stood a game fight. The decision was given to Rube Smith. CORDELL-TURNER.

Billy Jordan as usual presented the two men as prizes, and the prize went to Rube Smith. Rube was particularly wild in the first round and the kid in bud. The kid came back with a right and left but did no damage.

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POMONA AND CALIFORNIA ON THE TRACK.

Great Field Day is Being Held on State University Oval This Afternoon.

BERKELEY, March 30.—An unusually interesting field day is being held this afternoon on the University of California under track between the track and field athletes of the University and of Pomona College.

No track records will probably be broken. The visitors are expecting much of their youngest member, Hendrickson, a sprinter whom they claim will make a hundred and 50 seconds for the 100-yard dash. Hawes, a former Stanford man, is another sprinter who looks capable. In fact, the whole team looks well trained and in good condition.

Thomas, a one-armed man, is Pomona's high jumper. He is by far the best in the South. They have two other good men whose records compare favorably with the track and field records. Voorhies in the mile and Lavenport in the weights.

The California team, in spite of the disadvantages caused by the weather, has been training hard between showers. Yesterday saw the establishment of the training table with thirteen men gathered around the board. In the meet this afternoon no safe forecast can be made.

However, Abadie and Snodgrass ought to take care of the 100 yard and 200 yard dashes. If Hendrickson is alive he ought to have a pretty good show with the 100 yard and 200 yard dashes. Abadie and Snodgrass ought to take care of the 100 yard and 200 yard dashes.

The pole vault and broad jump will probably be easy for Wilcox. Symmes, Chapin, Snodgrass, Boynton and Neighbors, Cooley will, without doubt, be able to outjump Thomas and in the weights Sperry, Zacharias, Boynton and Elliott should gather in most of the points. The men at the training table are Sperry, Zacharias, Chapin, Abadie, Meany, Wilcox, Symmes, Snodgrass, Mooly, Clifford, Kern and Gilmore. Others will be added soon.

JACK O'BRIEN INHERITS \$40,000.

Jack O'Brien, the exception is required to be worth \$100,000 and the death of his uncle, Patrick Haggan, has resulted by a provision in deceased's will in increasing his wealth by \$40,000. O'Brien was expected to arrive in St. Louis last Sunday to be on hand for his twenty-round contest with "Twins" Sullivan whom he met to meet next Monday but the death of his uncle prevented. He will probably be on hand in St. Louis Friday to complete his training.

JOHNNY REIFF GIVES UP RACING.

No more race for Johnny Reiff, the little jockey who has made such a name for himself on the turf. He has announced that he has given up the racing game for good.

His disbandment two years ago and also the accident he met with in Chicago last summer have influenced him in this decision.

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TITANS DEFEAT TROJANS. BUFFALO BOWLERS WIN.

GOOD BASKET BALL GAME PLAYED LAST NIGHT. OAKLAND AMERICANS LOSE BY A NARROW MARGIN IN BERKELEY.

The Titans Y. M. C. A. basketball team defeated the Stockton Y. M. C. A. team last Saturday evening by 14 to 8. The game was played in Masonic Hall before a large audience.

The Titans of San Francisco last night met the Trojans of the Oakland Y. M. C. A. for the first time. Harold Baker put up a strong game for the local team. At the end of the first half the score stood 4 to 3 in favor of the Titans. The San Francisco team put up a strong game and though the Oaklanders fought hard they found it impossible to win. The Trojans had a battle royal with their opponents but the score finally ended against them at 13 to 7.

The Titans line up was: Forwards, Harold Baker (captain), David Dick, Dalton McLeod, centers, Hugh Corcoran, Vernon Irvin, guards, Rowland, Egenhuff, Sieb Teal.

The Titans team was: H. Pierson, O. Tyler, W. Hilton, J. Ryerson, K. Pierson.

AGAINST BICYCLES ON THE SIDEWALK.

Editor TRIBUNE:—Allow me through the columns of your valuable paper to earnestly protest against the riding of bicycles on the sidewalks as it is getting to be an intolerable nuisance. No city of the size and importance of Oakland should tolerate such a state of affairs and I am satisfied from personal observation that such a condition of affairs does not exist elsewhere in the country in any city of the population of Oakland.

As an example I was recently on Thirtieth street, three blocks west of Broadway and found bicyclists were so numerous on the sidewalk about the noon hour that the middle of the street was much the safest place for a pedestrian.

I have decided that a bicycle is a vehicle and I can understand what a vehicle has on the sidewalk. Very respectfully, C. S. MAYNARD, Oakland, March 29, 1904.

OAKLAND CONTRACTOR TO PUT UP BUILDING.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 30.—Contractors have been signed by the State Commission of the Lewis and Clarke exposition for the construction of the Lewis and Clarke exposition for the construction of the buildings to be erected by the State or Oregon. The contract for the forestry building was the only one that went to an outside bidder, was let to an Oakland (Cal.) company.

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S HEALTH.

BERLIN, March 30.—Inquiries made in connection with a report published in Paris that alarming reports had been received concerning Emperor William's health elicited the announcement that the condition of his majesty's illness is normal and the reports are otherwise discounted.

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BERKELEY, March 30.—The Buffaloes won the sixth game of their series last night by defeating the Oakland Americans by a margin of 251 pins.

The contest was held on Weight's alleys on Center street and was witnessed by a large audience who gave much applause to the enthusiastic sport. The contest was a spectacular one from start to finish, being marked with difficult throws and beautiful bowling. Although the local team won an easy victory, the rivalry between the teams furnished excitement all evening and kept the interest up.

Cody made the highest score for the local boys, marking 154 pins and having an average of 105.

A return game will be rolled on the local alleys in Oakland next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

McDuffie of the Buffaloes recently played a match game with Breitelsch in San Francisco and beat the latter by rolling 530 pins to his 228. The "Prison man" is considered to be one of the crack players on the coast and the showing made by McDuffie against him was remarkable.

Last week W. G. Morris rolled 235 pins. Weight's alleys, breaking all former records.

Following is the result of Monday night's contest:

| BUFFALOES. | | Total Av. |
|------------|-----|-----------|
| Turner | 158 | 177 |
| Ross | 143 | 159 |
| Cody | 143 | 154 |
| Roberts | 129 | 153 |
| McDuffie | 145 | 151 |

| OAKLAND AMERICANS. | | Total Av. |
|--------------------|-----|-----------|
| Parker | 137 | 139 |
| Miller | 139 | 155 |
| Knapp | 112 | 136 |
| De Polster | 122 | 135 |
| Segriss | 133 | 121 |

ALL FOR PARKER.

NEW YORK, March 30.—A summary of the returns from the Democratic primaries held in the most important counties for the selection of delegates to the State convention, shows, according to the Herald, that the Empire State delegation to the National Convention will be instructed to vote for Judge Alton B. Parker as nominee for President.

At the primaries so far 228 Parker delegates are counted as having been successful. As there will be a total of 450 the Parker forces are instructed to have a large working majority in the convention.

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The New Alameda Ferry Depot

The assurance of Vice-President Kruttschnitt that work will be immediately recommenced on the new depot at the Alameda mole is gratifying. The Southern Pacific Company is under a moral obligation to complete this projected improvement without unnecessary delay.

A strongly implied promise to do so was given when the franchise applications were under consideration, and that promise should be redeemed promptly and according to the tenor in which it was conveyed. Work on the depot was suspended when the franchise applications were hung up, and the suspension was ascribed to the refusal to grant the franchise on the terms desired. When these terms were finally acceded to, the people of Alameda were justified in believing that there would be a speedy resumption of work on the depot and the ferry approaches.

Mr. Kruttschnitt appears to have been left uninformed that there had been no resumption of work, for he expressed surprise that nothing further had been done, and gave his promise that construction would be resumed without delay. As Mr. Kruttschnitt is as chary of making promises as he is zealous in fulfilling those he does make, the people of Alameda can rest assured that the depot will soon be in process of construction. And it is only fair to the people of Alameda that this should be so. They have relied on the pledge given by the company's agents that their town should be given every facility for rapid transit, and this reliance should not now be shown to be misplaced.

Besides, the traveling public generally have an interest in the matter. The ferry accommodations at the Alameda mole are inadequate to the demands upon them. They are of a purely temporary character, and are as squalid as they are meager. During the protracted rainy period people have been continually compelled to get on and off the trains in the pouring rain; costumes have been ruined or soiled and colds engendered in consequence. That is not a right way for a great corporation to treat its patrons, and we are confident that neither Mr. Harriman nor Mr. Kruttschnitt ever intended that the public should be subjected to such inconveniences and discomforts. Happily we have Mr. Kruttschnitt's word that the unpleasant conditions prevailing at the Alameda mole will be soon abated. We confidently look for performance to equal promise.

Commenting on the Smoot matter an exchange says there are others practicing polygamy besides the Mormons of Utah. True enough, but they don't claim it is an ordinance of the Lord and boast of it as something to command respect. They indulge in it as other illicit pleasures are indulged in under the rose, and with the consciousness that they are violating the principles of morality and religion. They do not degrade the family relation by calling such connexions marriage and by parading their fruits as products to be admired. Men commit sin out of Utah as well as in it, but with this difference: Those outside the pale of the Mormon Church sin in secret and are ashamed of their incontinence; the Mormons are not ashamed but flaunt their iniquity against morality and womanhood publicly and claim to commit it under command of the Most High God.

Apparently Lawyer Burton's fee will cost Senator Burton his seat in Congress and a sojourn in State's prison. All because a stupid Missouri jury could not see the distinction between a fee and a bribe nor tell a lawyer from a grafter.

Unknown Quantities as Presidential Candidates

The New York Nation sharply punctures the fallacy popularly entertained that "dark horses" make available candidates. It says unknown quantities are sometimes nominated for the Presidency but are never elected; the candidate may be an unknown quantity when nominated, but the country has his measure taken by the time the election takes place.

The Nation cites the cases of Lincoln and Hayes, who were comparatively unknown men at the time of their nomination. By election day, however, the whole country knew exactly what sort of men they were voting for. The same thing may be said of Polk.

When Hancock was nominated he was a popular military idol, but an unknown quantity politically speaking. His famous declaration that the tariff was a local issue gave the country the measure of his statesmanship. As Charles A. Dana said, he was a good man weighing 250 pounds, but the nation did not see in him the right material for a President. The public became thoroughly acquainted with Cleveland before he was elected. Of a later experiment with an unknown quantity the Nation says:

"In taking up Bryan in 1896, the Democrats gave a glaring instance of the unknown-quantity fallacy. Cleveland they knew. He had twice got them the Presidency, but he had made a number of enemies, and they were in force in the convention. Bryan, an obscure local shouter, was unknown, and had none. So he was nominated with a burrah. But he did not remain an unknown quantity. The process of making his acquaintance began among the voters as soon as the campaign opened, and by November the country had his measure."

All this is pointed at Judge Parker of New York, whose chief merits as an available candidate are that he resides in the great pivotal State of the Union and is an absolutely unknown quantity in politics. The Nation points out that the country will find out all about Judge Parker that the voters care to know by the time they are called on to vote. The voters will find out about any candidate, and they will elect or reject him for what he is and not because they don't know him. A searchlight is turned on a Presidential candidate the moment he is nominated, and the record of his life, utterances and practices are brought under the keenest scrutiny; in fact, this scrutiny begins the moment a man has his name prominently associated with the Presidency. The people are getting acquainted with Judge Parker now. They are trying him out already. They have already learned that so far as national policies are concerned his career is colorless, and that he is a Democrat rather by association and tradition than by robustly held opinions. If he should be nominated, the country will know by next November whether he is a reserve force or a respectable painted lath.

"Doing ping pong politics" accurately describes the Bard campaign, which started out frost-bitten and flutulent from lack of nervous energy.

Hearst and the Blanket Indians

Some of the Colonels and Majors of the interior Democratic press are in a mighty stew because the Democratic State Committee, at its last meeting, adopted a resolution endorsing William Randolph Hearst for the Presidential nomination. They call this a usurpation of authority, and an attempt to dictate to the party. They are making a great deal out of a small matter it seems to us. The State Committee simply expressed by resolution the sense of a majority of its members—it could do no more. No action it could take could bind the convention that is hereafter to be assembled nor does its resolution pledge the delegates that will be elected at Santa Cruz to attend the National Convention. The resolution made no pretense of doing either.

The convention is as free as it was before to elect whom it chooses for delegates and to instruct them in whatsoever manner it may see fit. Indeed, nothing that the committee could do or say would have any binding force on the convention, which will make its own platform, elect its own delegates and also elect a new committee to succeed the present one.

The blanket Indians of the interior Democratic press do not state their real grievance if we are any judge of the situation. What they are bucking about is the fact, patent to every observer, that California will send a solid Hearst delegation to St. Louis. That is what has started the ghost dancing on the outskirts of the Democratic reservation. When the convention meets at Santa Cruz it will do just what the State Committee did; it will adopt a Hearst platform and elect a Hearst delegation. That is as certain as anything can be. That will be the program because the mass of Democratic voters want it that way. The average Democratic voter is a workman and he does not care a great deal for the Colonels and Majors who assume to command and direct the party. The party voters are for Hearst if the Captains are not. They are going for Hearst whether the Captains go or not. The Colonels and Majors will either have to go with them or fall out of the procession altogether.

That is the plain truth of the matter. It is not our fight or our funeral, but the signs of the times are obvious. The mass of Democratic voters are not impressed by private griefs and personal grudges, and they are for Hearst in this fight for reasons which anyone can see with half an eye. It is the impotency of protest that stirs the bile of the Captains who have been abandoned by their companies.

Rome and the French Republic

Apparently the Papacy is preparing to pick up the gauntlet thrown down to the church by the Combes Ministry in France, for it is given out that the forthcoming Encyclical will deal vigorously with the manner in which the religious orders have been treated, their retreats abolished and their schools broken up. Should it do so a violent political agitation will be precipitated, and the Concordat established in 1802 between France and the Vatican broken. It is certain that the drastic policy of the Ministry will inject a religious issue into French politics that may work strange changes among a people so mercurial and volatile as the Gallic nation.

Premier Combes has pushed his bill suppressing all primary schools conducted by the religious orders to final passage almost simultaneously with the repeal of the law expelling the Jesuits from Germany. The spectacle of the Jesuits returning to Germany at the moment when religious orders are being expelled from France is a coincidence that presents a suggestive parallel for the consideration of M. Combes. Thirty-two years ago Bismarck secured the passage of the series of enactments known as the Falk laws, devised to destroy the power and influence of the Catholic Church in the German empire. Shaking his fist defiantly at the Catholic members of the Reichstag the Iron Chancellor shouted, "We shall not again go to Canossa," recalling the time when Henry IV stood barefooted for three days at the door of Pope Gregory VII.

Well, Bismarck is dead, and the Jesuits have been recalled. The last of the Falk laws has been repealed, and not so long ago a Catholic held the Chancellorship instituted with the empire. The Catholic party is stronger than ever and is a necessity to the crown. Yet, roughly speaking, Germany is a Protestant country, a bare one-third of her inhabitants being Catholics.

The French are a thoroughly Catholic people. Judging by what has happened in Germany, what are we to look for in France? An answer may be found in Macaulay's apostrophe to the enduring quality of the Roman church.

Thirteen negroes have been killed in the latest "race war" in Arkansas. No casualties are reported on the side of the whites, although it is alleged that a negro "cussed" a white man. A war that is so one-sided hardly deserves to be called a war. A massacre would more accurately describe it.

Assistant Postmaster General Bristow is strongly supported for the vacancy that will be created in the United States Senate when Euron of Kansas is required to swap the toga for a zebra suit. Should Bristow be elected it would be an example of poetic justice. Bristow is the man whose relentless probing of the scandals in the Postal Department brought Burton to the bar of justice. Ever since Burton entered the Senate he has vainly endeavored to have Bristow removed. Both are Kansas men, and the feuds of Kansas politics are alleged to have prompted Burton's hostility to the Assistant Postmaster General, but it is nevertheless an odd circumstance that he should have fallen into his enemy's pit.

A RURAL DIG AT OAKLAND.

A few weeks ago the business men of Oakland made an excursion to Los Angeles to learn the ways and means of the prosperity of the southern metropolis and to study the methods of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce. The excursion was a profitable one for Oakland. The citizens of the old town across the bay are getting a move on. A Boosters' Club of several hundred members has been organized and things are moving. They are even talking of celebrating the entrance into the town of the Santa Fe Railroad.—Ventura Free Press.

SEGREGATION OF JUVENILE CRIMINALS.

Judges Smith and Samuels of Oakland are to be greatly commended for starting a movement to segregate minors from older and more hardened criminals, and for a juvenile police court and a separate place of detention for minor criminals. The herding together of juvenile offenders, both in our city jails and in the penitentiaries, as has been commented on in these columns before, is a crying disgrace to twentieth century civilization, and any movement tending to the amelioration of the abuse is to be gladly welcomed in the interests of humanity.—Vallejo Chronicle.

Chips From Other Blocks

Why don't some of our poets dash off a few lines in eulogy of that benefactor (or factress) of the race, that all-around good fellow and unflinching rival of the cold storage trust—the hen that lays in winter.—Albany Argus.

James H. Tillman has announced himself as a candidate for Congress from South Carolina. This means that armor plate will be worn in the house or representatives instead of the dressy frock coat if James should be elected.—Philadelphia Evening Telegraph.

If the Roosevelt boys are like their distinguished father they will be riding that lion around the White House grounds before many moons.—Chicago Tribune.

General Wood is in receipt of a full vindication from the Senate, which he can display along with the famous silver service on the family sideboard.—Chicago News.

One of the appalling results of the Springfield riot was the imitative action of some schoolboys who tried to lynch a colored urchin. It is about time for lynchers to ask themselves whether they want their children to follow their footsteps.—Washington Times.

Here's a jockey who has lost \$800 and had a waiter arrested for stealing it. Forgetful fellow! He gave it as a tip!—New York Mail.

Automobiles will be popular here this season. Deacon Slam has just received a consignment of thirty Newmobiles for use in his family, and Deacon Johnson has engaged the entire year's output of the Churchuf factory.—Newark News.

Shamrock 1 is in process of demolition, to be sold as junk. For it is jolly good junk, which nobody can deny.

A Boston boy of 13 has written verses said to be "equal and very similar to Kipling." We would advise the promising boy to keep right on practicing. He may improve.—Atlanta Constitution.

The Senate has voted to call in Dr. Wood to prescribe for the army in the capacity of Major-General. No doubt the army can survive the treatment as long as it takes care of itself. But what if it should happen to mix up in a fight?—New York World.

The Richmond lawyers found guilty of conspiring to wreck a man's business will appreciate the superior advantages of allying themselves with a trust before again engaging in such practices.—New York World.

The abolition of the free lunch in New Jersey was inevitable. The free lunch business paid no incorporation fee into the State treasury.—Chicago Tribune.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Talk is cheap—unless you are using a long-distance telephone.

As a rule the more a man chips in the more he has to shell out.

Politeness occasionally beats the almighty dollar under the wire.

Praise a woman for the qualities she doesn't possess and she'll worship you.

A woman doesn't enjoy a trip half as much as she enjoys telling about it afterward.

It sometimes happens that a woman loves a man for his money and hates him for himself alone.

After buying a revolver or the purpose of committing suicide an Ohio man reconsidered the matter and married an Auburn-haired widow with seven children.—Chicago News.

SOME PASSING JESTS.

The chronic bachelor finally turned to the quiet man who had taken no part in the discussion.

"Would you, sir," said he, "marry the best woman in the world?"

"I did," was the reply.—Ram's Horn.

LENTEN ECONOMY.

Madge—How does she come to give up so many things during Lent?

Marjorie—She realizes it's the only way she can save enough money to buy an Easter bonnet.—Judge.

BORE DEFINED.

"What is a bore, pop?"

"A bore, my son, is a person who succeeds in keeping the mouth of another person closed.—Yonkers Statesman.

While no man is a hero to his valet, Nat Goodwin, the comedian, ought to look pretty good to the valet whose release he ordered from police headquarters, where he was locked up for stealing jewelry from his master.—Kansas City Star.

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Hints for the Ladies.

The voiles, either in wool or silk, are ideal fabrics for summer gowns of a certain type.

Dark red yellow embroidery is quite the smart thing for a pure white waist of soft-finish mull.

Have at least one tatted skirt, of voile over silk, perhaps, to wear at home with different blouses.

A quaint novelty among pongees stimulates old English print in its dull colors and queer designs.

Narrow more ribbon always makes an effective trimming, and by some people is preferred to velvet.

Spring coats for young girls are very attractive and the loose sack models retain their place of favor.

That small square headress known as the Juliet cap is most attractive above a young and pretty face.

Tucks, shirring, frills and corded girdles make the newest raincoat an exceedingly frivolous garment.

Many dressy velvet and cloth gowns have the mousquetaire sleeve, modified to suit our present drooping shoulders.

Now everybody is asking everybody else how many yards of lace she has shirred in the bottom of her coat sleeve.

The 1830 period is suggested in some way or another in every garment made of taffeta, be it frock, mantle or redingote.

Iron is a food to all anemic persons and must not be regarded by them as a medicine only to be taken temporarily, for in most cases it is necessary to persevere in taking iron for a period varying from two months to five or six years.

A successful method of treatment for ingrowing toe nails is to scrape away the thickened part of the nail with a small file, keep it well greased so as to soften it and insert a piece of wool beneath the nail so that it may grow properly.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

Has world-wide fame for marvelous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment or liniment for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bolls, Sores, Felons, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions, Infirmitie for Piles, Cures guaranteed. Only 25c at Osgood Bros., Druggists, Seventh and Broadway.

OSGOOD'S PLAIN TALK

Recently a prominent drug store in San Francisco used a full page of a paper to tell the public how they were cutting the prices of goods.

And there was not a single article mentioned at a lower price than our goods are marked.

It has always been so with us. We have always cut prices and always will. No organization can say to us that we shall not cut below a certain figure. We cut just as low as we please and no firm cuts deeper than we do.

In our new store soon to be opened at Twelfth and Washington, the same principle will be followed as at our old store.

Osgood's
THE DRUG CUTTER
The Store that always gives you exactly what you ask for.
Seventh and Broadway
OAKLAND

AMUSEMENTS.

THE MACDONOUGH OAKLAND LEADING THEATRE
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS
APRIL 1 AND 2
26c AND 50c BARGAIN MATINEE SATURDAY
FRANK BACON
Presents the Charming Idyll of Rural Life
HILLS OF CALIFORNIA
With Frank Bacon, Supported by an Excellent Company
A Splendid Scenic Production
Popular Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c. Seats Now on Sale.
TOMORROW EVENING, MARCH 31
German Performance
Alameda Lustspiel Ensemble
Presenting
DAS OBERLAMP
The Great Farceful Success
Prices, \$1.00, 75c, 50c and 25c
Seats Now on Sale.
Two Nights Only, Monday and Tuesday, April 4-5
Curtain at 8:20 p. m. Special Engagement.
MARY MANNERING
(Management Frank McKee)
In a New Modern Comedy
By Leo Dietrichstein, Entitled
HARRIET'S HONEYMOON
Direct from its successful run at the Garrick Theatre, New York City.
PRICES, \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c, 50c
SEATS ON SALE NOW.

KAHN'S THE ALWAYS BUSY CORNER

ASK FOR A PAIR OF SOROSIS SHOES FOR DOLLY
Don't Worry Sunny Days Ahead
FREE FOR THE ASKING A PAIR OF SOROSIS SHOES FOR DOLLY

March CAME IN like a lion and STAYED IN like the whole menagerie. Even our tempting display of spring goods didn't seem powerful enough to ward off the rain and winds. However, the sun is getting around toward our side, and that, with the powerful aid of our ads ought to break the backbone of old Boreas. So here's to a

PLEASANT EASTER

EASTER DISPLAY--Millinery, Gowns, Wraps, and Neckwear

To every woman who enjoys the mere seeing of beautiful things we extend a cordial invitation. The new MILLINERY PARLOR is ready with millinery as brilliant and beautiful as could be made. Reproductions of exquisite French models, clever copies and adaptations, together with our own designs. Our styles of READY TO WEAR GARMENTS are chic, charming and decidedly effective, as exploited in our display of new models for the coming season. Designs were never more artistic, fabrics more stylish, or prices more moderate.

Our Easter display of NECKWEAR is the most complete on the Coast.

See Our Window Display of Easter Goods
SOROSIS SANDALS FOR DOLLY AT THE SHOE DEPARTMENT
Kahn Bros. THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE
Twelfth Street, Toward Washington, Oakland

AMUSEMENTS.

Y Liberty Playhouse
Broadway, near 14th St.
H. W. Bishop, Lessee and Manager
Introducing Bishop's Revolving Stage (patented)—the only one in America.
Popular Prices, 75c, 50c, 25c
Bargain Matinee Every Saturday. Prices 50c and 25c. Phone Main 73.

TONIGHT AND ENTIRE WEEK
The Neill-Morocco Enterprises Present
MR. JAMES NEILL
IN
"THE COWBOY AND THE LADY"
Next Week—"The Holy City."

DEWEY THEATRE
Week Beginning Monday, March 28th
Original Three-Act Farce Comedy by Joseph J. Noel, entitled
Perpetual Emotion
Under the personal direction of the Stirling English actor
MR. PHIL WALSH
(Late of Adelphi Theater, London.)
STAR CAST.
MATINEE SATURDAY AND SUNDAY
Seats now on sale at Box Office
PRICES... 15c, 25c, 35c, and 50c

NOVELTY THEATRE
Broadway, bet. Eleventh and Twelfth Sts.
TONY LUBELSKI, Sole Prop. and Mgr.
WEEK BEGINNING MARCH 28.
NEW ACTS, FACES
PICTURES
Matinee daily at 3 p. m.
Evening Performances 7:45 and 9 p. m.
Bill Entirely Changed Every Monday.
Extra performances Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays.

LYRIC THEATRE
12th St., bet. Broadway and Washington
H. KUCKS JR., Manager
Week of March 28.
East Vaudeville talent in America.
Comedian Vaudeville and Moving Pictures.
Entire Change of Bill Every Monday.
Admission 10c; Children Matinee, 5c
Matinees at 3 p. m. Evening, 7:45 and 9:15 p. m. Extra performances on Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Superior Court in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of the estate of Newton W. Mallory, deceased.
No 3119, Sept. 4.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Jesse B. Mallory, executor of the last will and testament of Newton W. Mallory, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit to them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to-wit: Within ten (10) months after the 30th day of March, A. D. 1904, to the said executor, at Number 2430 Fulton street, in the Town of Berkeley, said County of Alameda, which said place the undersigned selects and designates as her place of business in said County of Alameda for all matters connected with the said estate of said Newton W. Mallory, deceased; that said claims may also be presented at Rooms 311 and 312 in the Crocker Building, at the intersection of Market, Post and Montgomery streets, in the City and County of San Francisco.

JESSE B. MALLORY, Executor of the last will of Newton W. Mallory, deceased.
Date: Oakland, Alameda County, March 30th, A. D. 1904.
OSGOOD PUFNALL, Attorney for Executor, 401 California Street, San Francisco.

Racing! Racing! Racing!
OAKLAND TRACK.
NEW CALIFORNIA JOCKEY CLUB
COMMENCING MONDAY, Feb. 22.
Racing Each Week Day, Rain or Shine.
SIX OR MORE RACES DAILY.
Races commence at 2:15 p. m. sharp. Take street cars from any part of the city and go to Emeryville. For special trains stopping at the track take S. F. ferry, foot of Market street, San Francisco, at 12:30, 1:30, 1:30 or 2 o'clock. No smoking in last two cars, which are reserved for ladies and their escorts. Returning trains for San Francisco leave track at 4:10 and 4:45 and immediately after the last race.
THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, President.
PERCY W. TRENT, Secretary.

BELL THEATRE
San Pablo Avenue, Opp. Plaza
OAKLAND'S LEADING VAUDEVILLE HOUSE
Week Commencing March 28--BIG BILL
THIS WEEK.
Strictly first-class entertainment. Matinees daily at 3 p. m. Two performances every evening. Admission 10c; no higher. Entire change of program every Monday.

CORRECT WEAR For EASTER

At **KELLER'S** of course

Ladies' Tailored Hats



The Easter display is most entrancing and embraces a number of exclusive styles. They are from the ateliers of Gage, Allen Bros. and Stiehl—three of the world's leading designers.

Sweetest of Spring Shirts

that show style and newness in every detail. Everything that's correct to choose from.

Dress Shirts

faultless in every particular; sweetest of correct dress-wear.

Proper Headwear

for the new season. Would you have the sweetest hat this season affords, stiff or soft—and right in shade? You'll find it here.

Children's Hats

In this department not a seasonable style is missing. The little folks can be fitted with straw, sailor, military, golf—or any right kind of headwear.

McJ. Keller & Co.

1157-59 Washington Street
OAKLAND

WILL WELCOME THE SANTA FE INTO OAKLAND.

General Manager Wells Says: the First Train Will Be Run on May Day.

May Day and Santa Fe Day are synonymous. Oaklanders and residents of Alameda county will have an opportunity of jointly celebrating the first day of May and the arrival of the first Santa Fe train in Oakland. The railroad committee of the Board of Trade has for many weeks been in correspondence with the officials of the Atchafalaya and Santa Fe Railway Company with a view to ascertaining the date of the arrival of the first through train in Oakland. Today the following letter was received from General Manager A. G. Wells of the Atchafalaya and Santa Fe Railway Company, coast lines:

"CHICAGO, March 26, 1904. 'Mr. Keller, Chairman, Railroad Committee, Board of Trade, Oakland, Cal.: 'Dear Sir: I have copy of yours of March 10, to Captain Payson, and beg to say that our expectations now are that we will open our road into Oakland on May 1. It may be a few days later than this, but if so, I will let you know. We are hopeful, however, of commencing our service into your thriving city on the date mentioned. Yours truly,

"A. G. WELLS, General Manager." It has been impossible up to the present time for the Board of Trade Committee to arrange a definite program, but now that the date has been settled a complete program will be announced in a few days. The committee has considered

requesting the stores to close on the morning of Santa Fe Day, that everybody in Oakland may have an opportunity to old in welcoming this new transcontinental line into our city. Music an address of welcome, and the usual program on such an occasion will undoubtedly be carried out. In addition thereto the committee will make an effort to secure the race track, within a few minutes walk of the Santa Fe station, for the forenoon of May 1 and are now discussing the feasibility of having races and games with a tent enclosure free to all who may come. Entertainments of various kinds will also be provided.

Many physicians, merchants, real estate men and others owning fast horses and if sufficient interest is shown by these owners, a speed contest may be arranged, the horses to be driven by their owners to road wagon or buggy. Such a race or races will add local interest to the sport. Mayor Olney will, in all probability, welcome the Santa Fe to be city and short addresses will be made by other prominent citizens. The committee of the Board of Trade having the arrangements for the fete in hand will make public from day to day the arrangements as they are perfected.

As May 1st comes on Sunday, the celebration will take place on Monday forenoon, May 2.

MARRIED OR NOT MARRIED.

THAT IS THE QUESTION THAT IS WORRYING WILLIAM ABBOTT.

Two women are fighting over a husband in Judge Melvin's department of the Superior Court.

One would divest herself of what she believes to be legally an encumbrance to her but wants half of his wealth. The second is very much interested in knowing whether she is legally the man's wife or not. One or the other of them is wrong and it will remain for the judge to decide the question according to the law in the matter.

The second day of the trial of the William Tobin divorce suit brought two women into court, both believing themselves to be the only original Mrs. Tobin. Mrs. Tobin No. 1 is asking for a divorce and a division of the community property. Mrs. Tobin No. 2 says that her husband was never married to the woman arrogating to herself the title.

Whether they were ever married or not, and what constituted a marriage in the eyes of the law prior to the passage of 1895, when contract marriages were declared to be legal, is a question Judge Melvin will have to pass upon in reaching a decision in the matter. Tobin, however, and the woman now suing for a divorce did live together as man and wife and occupied positions in many respectable families of well known people under the supposition that they were as they represented themselves to be. Tobin was paid the money as the husband and it is half of the earnings that the first Mrs. Tobin now wants divided.

It was shown that they lived in the family of Judge Mastick in Alameda and at the country home of Supervisor A. Conte Jr. of San Francisco and worked together for A. J. Crow of Crow's Landing in Stanislaus county. At the employment agencies in San Francisco, through which they obtained their positions, they represented themselves as a married couple. J. L. S. French, clerk for Crossett's employment agency, testified this morning that they had represented themselves as such to him and made application for positions as man and wife.

The hearing of all this upon the question of the marriage of the pair as stated by Attorney Peter J. Crosby this morning was that it was a publication to the world of the agreement (the couple, made without the document, any evidence, as now required, the proof is harder to establish but the agreement itself is just as binding as though married in due form when proven.

The first Mrs. Tobin has no evidence further than the testimony of the people to whom they represented themselves as man and wife. Mrs. Tobin No. 2 has her marriage certificate and the record of the issuance of them of a marriage license. Both are women and respectable in appearance, and the first Mrs. Tobin shows the effect of her contact with people of "quality."

The plaintiff is still engaged in putting in her side of the case and adding cumulative evidence to that already produced showing the relation the two sustained to each other at places where they were employed.

ARMY AND NAVY LEAGUE ORGANIZE.

A rousing meeting of McKinley Camp was held Monday evening for the purpose of electing officers and devising plans for the coming campaign and much enthusiasm prevailed.

From the tenor of the remarks of the main speakers there is a strong likelihood of the two camps of the Army and Navy Republican League joining forces and uniting in one large camp, which would make the league a strong factor in Republican politics in Alameda county.

A committee was appointed from McKinley Camp to meet with a like committee from Oakland Camp to devise ways and means whereby the two camps may be brought into harmonious action.

After the usual routine was dispensed with the matter of the election of officers for the ensuing term was taken up and the following officers were elected after a spirited canvass: Colonel in Charge, S. Crosby; major, E. P. Sawyer; O. D. Allen Gladding; Lieutenant-Colonel, George A. Norton; quartermaster, Thomas A. Deasy; outside guard, Ira L. Stout.

There were also elected nineteen delegates to the State encampment which will be held April 16th in Becker's Hall for the purpose of electing State officers.

After the election of officers many of the members present addressed the meeting on the prospects of the good work to be done by the league in the coming campaign, the meeting closed with three rousing cheers for Roosevelt and Republicanism.

STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, March 30.—The Pacific shares and St. Paul and Atchafalaya were the features of the stock market at the opening today, all making gains on fairly large transactions. St. Paul was the leader in this respect, advancing 1 1/2 in the first half hour, but subsequently retreating, as did the Pacific. There was a 2 point advance in Great Northern preferred. The trading appeared to be largely professional, although reports credited some of the strong interests with buying such stocks as St. Paul, Union Pacific and Atchafalaya. The latter, it is thought, will figure in some way in the new community of interests scheme.

REPORT INCORRECT.

NEW YORK, March 30.—It was stated at the Union Pacific railway office here that the report received from the West to the effect that Charles L. Mohler had been made president of the Union Pacific was incorrect. E. H. Harriman is president of the Union Pacific. Mr. Mohler, it is understood here, is to be made vice-president and general manager of the company.

EMPEROR LEAVES ITALY.

GAZZA, Italy, March 30.—Emperor William, on board the imperial yacht Hohenzollern, left here today for Messina, Sicily, escorted by the German cruiser Prinz Friedrich Karl.

FLOOD DANGER PASSED.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 30.—Grand river is receding and the great flood danger seems to have passed.

MARSHAL RADDS GETS FORTUNE CHINATOWN. FOR A SONG.

ARRESTS NINETEEN-YEAR-OLD GIRL AT LIVERMORE FOR VAGRANCY.

LIVERMORE, March 30.—Marshal D. A. Smith, accompanied by Constable George Fitzgerald, made a raid on Chinatown Monday night. In some manner the officers obtained the information that some women came up from San Francisco on last Sunday evening's train and, failing to locate them elsewhere, became convinced that they were in Chinatown. Accordingly the raid was planned and while they are almost certain that there were at least two, yet they only arrested one, a girl who gave her age as 19. She said her name was Fern Hall and that she came from San Francisco. A charge of vagrancy was placed against her and the Chinese retained D. M. Connor, who succeeded in getting her out of jail by depositing \$10 cash bail. Of course, she took the morning train and has not since been seen. It is thought that the parties are some of the women who were arrested some time ago in Oakland for a similar offense and were lately released from the County Jail on a legal technicality. It is not expected they will visit Livermore again in the near future.

PIIONEER PASSES AWAY. Another pioneer of the early days of Chinatown, from whence he came to Boston in 1845. He remained in Boston until the gold fever broke out in California. With a party of others he went to California and crossed the Isthmus and landed in San Francisco in June, 1850. July of that year he found him in the city of San Francisco, where he followed mining with all its ups and downs until 1864.

He came to Livermore in the spring of 1865 and engaged in farming and sheep raising near what is now the town of Altamont. In 1867, when the Central Pacific road was being constructed through the Altamont pass, he erected a hotel and several other buildings at Altamont and in connection with his farming conducted the hotel and a general merchandise business. When it became apparent that Livermore was to be the leading town in the eastern end of Alameda county Mr. Dolan disposed of his interests in and around Altamont and engaged in the hotel business in Livermore, in which he remained until a few years ago, when failing health compelled him to finally retire from active business.

He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, whom he was married in 1859, and seven children, all of whom were at his bedside when the end came. He also leaves several grandchildren. The immediate family consists of his wife and six daughters, Miss J. M. Dolan, Mrs. Frosser and Mrs. Carroll of Oakland, Mrs. Davaney, Mrs. Murray and Mrs. Mulquenee of Livermore.

The funeral will take place Thursday (Friday) at 10 a. m. The interment will be in the Catholic cemetery.

STREET RAILROAD AROUND THE BAY.

SAN JOSE, March 30.—Contracts for the construction of the electric railway between this city and Alviso, with a branch to Palo Alto, were awarded to a number of railroad builders and contractors are in the city during the work. All about about the building of the road is now being discussed. The road is to be built from the corner of Market and city streets up St. James street to Second street, and then the construction of the electric line will build from Hayward to connect with the branch running to Palo Alto. Then with the construction of an electric road from San Mateo to Milpitas there would be a complete electric line from San Francisco to Oakland, a distance of about 100 miles.

MILLIONAIRE ERIC LINDBLOM FAILS TO ANSWER SUIT AND LOSES \$15,000.

For the sum of \$25 property valued at \$15,000 belonging to Eric Lindblom, the Nome mining millionaire, passed yesterday into the hands of James M. Taylor, a local attorney. As soon as Campbell, Metson & Campbell of San Francisco, who are supposed to look out for Lindblom's interests while he is away, learned of the transaction they were much chagrined and threaten to take drastic measures in having the transfer set aside.

According to Attorney Taylor, who bought the property in the sale came about in the following manner: Three years ago Lindblom contacted a bill of \$100 for medical services which he did not pay before he went to Alaska. Suit was brought against him. Service was obtained by publication on the summons. Lindblom failed to answer the complaint and default judgment was entered against him.

An attachment was then put on \$15,000 worth of real estate belonging to the mining man in Berkeley. As the judgment still remained unsatisfied the property was ordered sold. This was done yesterday with the result that the entire property was awarded to Attorney Taylor for \$25.

Whether the sale will hold good or not is a matter which the courts will have to determine.

PIEDMONT CLUE ARE ALL BOOSTERS.

The Piedmont District improvement Club met last evening at the residence of J. Ristrom, Echo avenue. The president, M. M. Barnett, occupied the chair, and mutual congratulations were exchanged by the members on the inclusion of the sum of \$10,000 for improving Cemetery creek and making a boulevard, in the recommendations of the Council for the bond issue, and every member signified his intention to assist in the passage of the bond recommendations, particularly on those relating to civic improvements introduced by the various improvement clubs.

The committee appointed to meet with the bond committee of the Real Estate Board on the proposed bond issue, determined to form itself into a permanent organization, to consist of delegates from the Board of Trade, the Merchants' Exchange and the different improvement clubs of the city.

The committee whose duty it was to watch the progress of the bond issue in the City Council reported progress and drew the attention of the members to the action of the Council on Monday evening.

The sewer committee reported the present condition of the sewer question and the chairman of the committee, Mr. Roeth, showed the members the plans for the sewerage system, a reasonable cost and in accordance with the requirements of the city.

The committee having charge of the garden competition among the children of the district reported that all arrangements were now completed to start the competition. The rules had been printed and the entry cards may be obtained from M. M. Barnett, 3839 Howe street, the president of the club; from Dr. E. E. Taft, 133 Monte Vista avenue, the secretary; from the principals of the Piedmont School and the Grant School, or from any of the stores on Piedmont avenue. When the entries are filed by the contestants they must be returned immediately to any of the above named in order that the garden committee shall have the necessary information to act upon.

The next meeting of the club will be held on Tuesday evening April 5th, at Mr. Roeth's house on For y-first street, between Piedmont avenue and Howe street.

The Great Furniture Sale

It seems the great furniture and carpet sale at Pattosien's, corner Sixteenth and Mission Streets, San Francisco, keeps cash buyers of this City and State very busy. The store continues to be as busy as ever. The public buying now save fifty cents on the dollar at Pattosien's.



Spring Millinery Display

PATTERN HATS

Latest Novelties in Foreign and Domestic Styles



MISS I. E. CONNOR
138 GEARY STREET, SAN FRANCISCO
Near Stockton.

TEN DOLLARS FOR BEST REASONS FOR BONDS.

THE TRIBUNE will offer a prize of \$10 for the best six reasons sent in to this office before 6 o'clock next Saturday night as to why the proposed issue of bonds should carry. Competitors for the prize should state their reasons as briefly as possible, and under no circumstances give over six reasons. This offer is open to all. THE TRIBUNE will in a day or two announce the committees to whom may be referred the reasons and whose decision will be final. On Monday next the name of the successful party will be printed in these columns and the money forwarded to him.

All communications should be addressed to Prize Contest Editor, OAKLAND TRIBUNE, and should be signed, with name and address of competitor.

QUEST OF HONOR.
SAN FRANCISCO, March 30.—Dr. J. K. McLean, president of the Congregational Theological Seminary of Berkeley, was the guest of the members of the faculty of that institution and a number of his friends at a dinner at the Palace Hotel last evening, given in celebration of his seventieth birthday. During the evening Dr. McLean was presented with a magnificent leather covered chair, a token of esteem from the faculty and friends.

been associated in the theological seminary across the bay for many years.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 30.—Republican Congressional conventions today nominated the following:
First district—Henry Bingham.
Second—Robert Adams Jr.
Third—George A. Caster.
Fourth—Reuben O. Moon.
Fifth—Edward Morrell.
Sixth—George D. McCrary.

ABRAHAMSON'S

OAKLAND'S MOST POPULAR STORE

Women's and Misses' SUITS Big Break in Prices

Only four days to Easter and we will add from day to day other SPECIALS equally as meritorious as those offered yesterday. If you are in need of a Suit don't miss this extraordinary opportunity to purchase your Spring garments at these prices:

One lot of about sixty Suits, elegant new styles—Walking and Dress Skirts—all models—Cheviots, Broadcloths and Etamines, Black, Blue and Brown; actual value \$22.50.

Special \$14.95

One lot of about fifty Suits; wide variety of newest fabrics and models; elegantly custom tailored. Values up to \$30.00.

Special \$20.00

Millinery

SPRING MILLINERY—CLEVER! CHARMING!

These are some of the exclamations called forth by our display of Easter Hats. Our Millinery Department on the second floor is fairly overflowing with Millinery in velleins.

We have arranged for our first Millinery Sale

A grand array of new Trimmed Hats—each hat is distinctly different and embodies new features. Some of our own creation, others patterned after Paris Model Hats; made of fancy chips, in all colors, trimmed with flowers, ribbon, chiffon, etc. No finer hats can be bought elsewhere for \$10.00 than these we offer tomorrow for

\$7.50
and
\$10.00

S. E. Corner 13th and Washington Sts.

We Are Here

TO STAY. WE HAVE OPENED OUR NEW STORE WITH A VARIETY AND COMPLETE LINE OF

HOUSEHOLD GOODS STOVES, RANGES, PAINTS, ETC.

GLAD TO HAVE YOU CALL AND INSPECT OUR STOCK AND ASCERTAIN OUR PRICES. WE INTEND TO PLEASE OUR PATRONS, WHETHER THE PURCHASE IS SMALL OR LARGE.

ROBERTS & SAUNDERS
514 13th Street Near Washington

THE PALACE HOTEL

Men's Grill Room OF THE. Is a handy resort for Oakland business men.

RUSSIANS MAKE EVERYBODY SHOW A PROTEST. COLORS.

THEY DO NOT WANT A QUARANTINE STATION DESTROYED. COMMANDER OF RUSSIAN FLEET NOTIFIES VESSELS.

TOKIO, March 30.—The Russian Government, through the French Legation, has protested to the Japanese Government against the destruction of the quarantine station at San Sham Tai, during the fourth Japanese bombardment of Port Arthur, in violation of article 550 of The Hague Convention. Responding to the protest, Baron Kumoro, Minister of Foreign Affairs, informed the French Minister that the Japanese Government had requested Vice Admiral Togo to report on the alleged destruction of the quarantine station; but, whether the station had been destroyed or not, the article of The Hague Convention quoted, related only to land battles, the convention having left the question of naval bombardments untouched.

Japanese military and naval officers, who are familiar with San Sham Tai, declare that the quarantine station there did not exist before the war.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk today:
Charles J. Bradley, San Francisco... 32
Elzora Patten, San Francisco... 32
Samuel Drake, Grass Valley... 21
Sarah Williams, Grass Valley... 18
Manuel S. Lemon, Centerville... 21
Marie Amari, Centerville... 18
A. A. Tisdale, San Francisco... 35
Clyde B. Tisdale, San Francisco... 35
August Fuller, Berkeley... 26
Francis Davis, Berkeley... 18

MEN

over new VACUUM DE-LETERATOR is a natural strength builder. It is the ONLY means which will expand and develop the organs, used with our improved "Fertile" (Soluble Medicated) (Direct Medication).

Crystals, will quickly cure unnatural losses, stimulate premature decay, promote adhesion, etc. For VACUUM DE-LETERATOR or IMPROVED DEVELOPER, call or write for new (copyrighted) fully illustrated 100-page book, "Health," by DR. BEN OSTER. Send securely sealed FIFTY CENTS. Our physicians are experienced and strictly reliable specialists. Free moderate treatment given on 10 days' trial and approval.

HEALTH APPLIANCE CO.,
6 O'Farrell Street, S. F.

NEWS FROM BERKELEY AND THE STATE UNIVERSITY

SLAUGHTER; THEN PROFESSOR CORY TELLS LARGE UNIVERSITY BERKELEY MASONS TO BUILD COLLEGE SOCIETY STEAL. STORY OF RUSH. MEETING. LARGE STRUCTURE. EVENTS.

THIEVES INVADE THE PREMISES OF CAPTAIN SIEBE AT SHELL MOUND.

BERKELEY, March 30.—Thieves who had their nerve with them invaded the premises of Captain F. Siebe of Shell Mound Park, yesterday, killed two of his thoroughbred dogs within a few feet of the Siebe house, and dressed them on the spot, and went off with the carcasses.

The miscreants gained entrance to the grounds by means of a boat from which they landed on the beach side of Captain Siebe's place. Traces of blood were found down to the water's edge where the imprint of the boat's keel was seen in the sand.

The dogs were very highly prized as blooded stock and were very valuable animals.

The thieves were evidently well acquainted with the premises and the habits of the Siebe family as the theft was perpetrated while they were at dinner. It was evident also from the way they cleaned the animals that they were men with some experience of butchering.

MEYER'S LECTURE IS POSTPONED.

BERKELEY, March 30.—The first lecture of Dr. Eduard Meyer, which was announced for Wednesday afternoon, March 30, at 4 p. m., will be given Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. The topic for Professor Meyer's first lecture will be "The Emergence of the Individual in Ancient Times: The Prophets of Israel, Zoroaster, Hesiod and their contemporaries." The second lecture on "Sacrifices" will be given on Thursday afternoon at 4 p. m., as was originally announced.

RETURNS FROM A VISIT TO CITIES IN THE EAST.

BERKELEY, March 30.—After a visit of several months in the East, Miss Genevieve Grindley has returned to her home, 2415 Haight street. During the trip Miss Grindley spent considerable time in New York, Boston and Washington. In the latter city she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. M. Tolman. Mr. Tolman, who is a member of the faculty of the University of California with the class of 1902, now holds a responsible position as a government chemist.

Declares He Was Justified in Subduing Students on Charter Day Morning.

BERKELEY, March 30.—The action of the men of the Junior Class in passing resolutions censuring the measures which Professor Cory took on Charter Day to prevent a rush has caused much discussion around the campus. The fact that the resolution of the 75 men were passed by a small majority showed that the sentiments expressed were by no means unanimous.

When interviewed about the stand the Juniors had taken Professor Cory said: "I sincerely admire the stand that the Junior men take in this matter. If they think a wrong has been done they are certainly justified in openly denouncing the wrong. To come out boldly and state their convictions shows the true California spirit. I should like to personally meet these men and talk things over with them."

"But still there is another side to the story. Except in one case where handcuffs were used and in another where searching was done, there was nothing harsh about the measures

used. The action of myself and my men has been exaggerated and played up unjustly by the newspapers. I went out Tuesday night with no idea of trapping or spying on the two classes. I expected to meet the gentlemen and simply warn them to keep away from the hill. I wanted to talk to them about the folly of rushing but they ran away."

"Of course in my official capacity as head of the Students' Affairs Committee I had to enforce the law of the University. Considering the stand the classes took before Charter Day, I thought I had the backing of the University in the matter. Then I think that a man holding a position such as mine should do what he thinks is his duty. The whole rushing spirit may be summed up as the students as opposed to the Faculty."

When asked about the action of the classes in putting their numbers on Charter Hill, Professor Cory said, "Nothing will be done about the matter. If they want to put their number up why all right. It is bad form for them to do it perhaps."

additional feature of the census is the requirement that the last school that the child attended be ascertained.

The work of taking the census is to be commenced on April 15 and must be finished by May 10. As the town has grown considerably during the past year the Census Marshals believe they will have to do some lively work to complete their reports by the specified time.

Those who have been named by the Board of Education to act as assistants to Mr. Stevenson are Robert Weir, A. B. McDonald and Rev. Milton Buck.

SEVERELY HURT AT UNIVERSITY.

BERKELEY, March 30.—James Carpenter, while engaged in adjusting some belting at the Mining Building yesterday, cut his finger severely, one finger being split nearly down its entire length. Prof. W. E. Magee dressed the wound.

NOTED SPEAKERS WILL ADDRESS THE STUDENTS FRIDAY MORNING

BERKELEY, March 30.—The sixth University meeting of the term will be held in the Harmon Gymnasium on Friday morning at 11 o'clock. Three noted speakers will address the members of the University at this meeting. Hon. James D. Phelan of San Francisco; Rev. J. K. McLean, D. D., president of the Pacific Theological Seminary; and Dr. Eduard Meyer, who is lecturing in the Hall of Science on Wednesday evening and Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Phelan was for three terms mayor of the city of San Francisco. He served as lieutenant-commissioner and vice-president of the World's Columbian Exposition and was prominent in the organization and management of the California Midwinter Exposition held in San Francisco in 1894. Mr. Phelan is known familiarly to the students of the University as the donor of the Douglas Golden football statue which stands on the campus.

The address by Dr. McLean will come at a time particularly opportune, as on Thursday of this week he is to celebrate the seventieth anniversary of his birth. Dr. McLean was for twenty-five years pastor of the First Congregational Church in Oakland and for the last seven years has been president of the Pacific Theological Seminary. He is also a member of the State Board of Charities. His splendid works for the moral good of California and particularly his regard for the city of San Francisco are well known.

Dr. Eduard Meyer, who is to be the third speaker at the meeting, is professor of ancient history in the University of Berlin and well known throughout the world's historical circles as the greatest authority on matters of ancient history.

UNIVERSITY CHEMIST WRITES A TRANSLATION.

BERKELEY, March 30.—A valuable addition to American writings on chemistry has recently been made by Dr. Henry Chalmers Biddle, instructor in chemistry at the University of California, whose translation of the vegetable alkaloids of the genus *Alnus* of the University of Geneva has just come from the press.

In the translation Dr. Biddle has revised and somewhat enlarged the work of Dr. Piclet with the latter's sanction. This revision and enlargement has been made necessary by recent discoveries in chemical science, notably in regard to the structure, properties, and uses of the various morphine and codeine derivatives.

Don't forget that hearty laughter is a source of relaxation. So are all high thoughts, as those of hope, beauty, trust and love.

Three-story Building Will be Erected at the Corner of Bancroft Way and Shattuck Avenue.

BERKELEY, March 30.—Durant Lodge, No. 198, F. and A. M., has accepted plans for a three-story Masonic Temple building proposed to be erected at the north-east corner of Shattuck avenue and Bancroft way. The estimated cost of the structure, which will cover a site 75x105 feet will be \$50,000.

According to the plans, which were drawn by Architect William H. Wharff, there will be a large basement under the entire building. The first floor will be divided into four fine stores and an imposing entrance. The second and third stories will be devoted entirely to Masonic purposes. Both these floors will be accessible by both stairways

and an elevator. The main lodge room, which will be 42x65 feet and 25 feet high, is to be unusually elaborate. It is to be finished in oak and is to be sumptuously decorated and furnished. The banquet room which will have a kitchen attached, will seat more than 300 guests.

Among the other features of the building will be fine ladies' parlors, a large smoking room and all necessary committee rooms, ante room and lockers.

According to the committee which has charge of the proposed new structure, the office will be one of the finest buildings in the city. The construction materials will be buff brick and terra cotta.

UNABLE TO PLANT EXPERIMENTS ON TREES. MATTING.

CONTINUED WET WEATHER PREVENTS THE CARRYING OUT OF CONTRACTS.

BERKELEY, March 30.—Owing to the continued wet weather it is probable that the work of planting University avenue from the State University grounds to San Francisco avenue may have to be deferred until next year. The season has already advanced until now the trees have started to send forth buds.

R. R. Smith, who was awarded the contracts for planting American elm trees on Telegraph avenue and College avenue, from the State University grounds to the south town line, has already completed that work.

Mr. Smith has also prepared holes for planting trees in the scenic tract, but thus far the ground has been too damp to admit of the setting out of the trees that have been specified for the different thoroughfares according to the ideas set forth by the Civic Section of the Town and down Club.

PROF. A. V. STUBENRAUCH IS CONDUCTING INVESTIGATIONS AT UNIVERSITY.

BERKELEY, March 30.—Professor Arnold V. Stubenrauch of the Botany department has been conducting investigations in regard to growing grasses suitable for the manufacture of matting. At present all the matting in this country is manufactured from grasses imported from Japan.

Recent experiments at the University have shown that matting equal to the best Japanese product can be produced from the California tule. Experiments are being carried on in the San Leandro marshes to find the tules that can be successfully grown there.

UNIVERSITY ASSEMBLY WILL BE HELD IN OAKLAND THIS YEAR.

BERKELEY, March 30.—This year's university assembly will take place in Maple Hall in Oakland, on the 25th of April. Both the first and second floors have been engaged for the dance and supper.

Mrs. Severin inaugurated these assemblies several years ago, and they have taken place annually since.

The committee in charge of the affair this year is A. W. Foster, Jr., chairman; W. H. B. Foster, Jr., J. Somers, W. H. B. Foster, Jr., B. Chandler, and Dr. A. W. Foster, Jr.

The music for the dance will be furnished by Tank's orchestra. Dancing will be upstairs from nine o'clock till two in the morning. All decorations will be in green.

The supper will be in the Maple Room down stairs. Last year the affair was held in Reed Hall, but a much larger crowd is expected this year and so a better place had to be provided.

FRESHMAN DANCE.

President W. C. Davis of the Freshman class has appointed the following committees for the dance to be given to the women of the class at Shattuck Hall, Wednesday, April 6th. This is a return dance for that given the other night by the women last term.

Floor director—Frank McInnis; assistant—W. N. Wright.

Arrangements—Claude Kern, chairman; E. K. Rodgers, I. H. Franks, Z. E. Hartley, George Warren.

Reception—E. M. Polokot, chairman; D. H. Parry, C. J. Tripp, E. A. Palmer, A. Seabury, G. Water.

Decorations—H. E. Sherman, G. C. Jones, O. O'Brien, C. Haffey, R. R. Rankin, R. E. Chon.

VISITORS NIGHT AT OBSERVATORY. BERKELEY, March 30.—Friday night the Students' Observatory will be open to visitors. All the instruments in use will be put at the disposal of those who care to look at them, and their use will be explained by the instructor in charge. The observatory will be open at 8 o'clock.

HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, EMERYVILLE, FRUITVALE, GOLDEN GATE

ELECTED POPULAR DELEGATE.

FORESTERS SEND ARTHUR WEBB TO THE YEARLY CONVENTION.

EMERYVILLE, March 30.—One of the largest meetings ever held by the Foresters of America was attended last night by a large number of the members of the lodge. The meeting was called for the purpose of naming a delegate to the grand semi-annual meeting at Hampton when Foresters of the coast would meet to consider the mode of procedure for the coming year. Chief Ranger Judge Quinn presided. There were several candidates nominated.

After the ceremonies of the evening the question of the candidate was brought up. All were willing to support the best interests of the camp but it was only a question of who best could go to the convention and without injury to self or business devote himself to the advancement of local camp. After much deliberation and discussion Arthur Webb was appointed to represent the local camp.

DISSOLUTION. The well known firm of Hill & Haack, real estate operators has been dissolved. Mr. Hill the senior member of the firm will continue the business. Fred Haack retires from the business temporarily and will probably follow the same profession and travel East with his son, Willie Haack, the clever little jockey. In case Haack does not decide to accept Eastern engagements for the boy he may go in for himself in this town in the same line of business in which he has been interested.

TUBES TO BE LAID.

CHICAGO, March 30.—The Chicago City Council, by a vote of 27 to 10, has passed an ordinance granting a permit to the United States Government to lay two pneumatic tubes, five inches in diameter from the new postoffice and the appraisers' stores in Sherman street by way of Custom House Place and Harrison street.

FEEL POORLY.

As spring approaches you commence to feel poorly and you wonder at the cause. You feel tired and out of sorts. Your head aches, you have no appetite and the blood is impure. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will quickly tone up the system, overcome that tired feeling and make life a pleasure. Test it for yourself. It also cures Dyspepsia, Bloating, Diarrhea, Indigestion, Insomnia, Liver Troubles, La Grippe and Malaria.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

LIBRARY BOARD MEET.

PEOPLE OF HAYWARDS WILL HAVE A LIBRARY SITE THIS WEEK.

HAYWARDS, March 30.—Monday evening the Board of Library Trustees met in the Town Hall. It was supposed that the board would decide on a site for the Carnegie library, as the selection has been left entirely in the hands of the Trustees, but no definite action was taken in the matter.

The proposition to purchase the Nebas property was considered. A number of public spirited citizens have offered to furnish the necessary amount to buy the property and then donate the same for a site.

The expression of the people for a central location gives the Cooper corner on R street a preference over many other suggested places. Different taxpayers have offered to help purchase the Cooper corner. At present the board is in favor of the latter site.

The matter will undoubtedly be settled by the end of this week.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SOCIAL. The Sunday School of the Presbyterian Church will give a social in the parlors of the church on Thursday evening, March 31, in the parlors of the congregation. Church by the Boys' Improvement Club.

TO GIVE SOCIAL. A social will be given on Friday evening, April 1, in the parlors of the congregation. Church by the Boys' Improvement Club.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Miss Lena Bay and Miss Mamie Ramage of San Francisco were visiting their parents here recently.

Miss M. Wood and A. Horton were the guests of Mrs. H. Cushing in Irvington recently.

J. Stone has recovered from his recent illness.

George Towne of Marin county has been visiting his parents in Haywards.

B. McFadden of Ohio has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. G. W. McFadden, in San Francisco last Saturday.

Miss Adelle Alexander visited friends in San Francisco last Saturday.

J. N. Hager of San Jose was a recent visitor here.

Mrs. H. Hayward of Oakland visited friends here.

J. G. Goulart of Pleasanton was a recent visitor in town.

NEW SLEEPING CARS.

CHICAGO, March 30.—Owing largely to sanitary considerations the Pullman Company has adopted a new standard sleeper which little resembles the ornate cars built a few years ago. The new standard is severely plain and is devoid of all scroll and grill work. The upholstery of the car has been reduced to the bare necessities and the angles possible have been taken from the car. Imported mohair has been adopted as a standard curtain and the entire design and decoration is planned with a view to facilitate the work of cleaning and preventing the lodgment of germs.

All Pullman cars will be built on the same plan and after the same pattern, so that uniformity in equipment will be attained.

WILLIAM CORWIN DEAD.

HAD LIVED IN FRUITVALE DURING THE PAST YEAR.

FRUITVALE, March 30.—At his home on Fruitvale avenue, William Franklin Corwin, late of San Francisco, passed to eternal rest Monday evening. He was surrounded by relatives and friends when the last moments of life were passing. The deceased was 77 years old and a native of Indiana, where he lived the greater part of his life before coming to California.

Although the date of the funeral has not been set, the interment will be in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

Joe Soures and Pat are busy adjusting a trolley being held on the trolley wires on East Fourteenth street. The work will occupy several days.

PERSONALS. Mrs. Euclid is improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Belchwald of San Francisco were visitors in Fruitvale recently.

Robert Flinderson will soon leave Fruitvale for his home in Northern Oregon. He will engage in the packing business in the north.

George Warren made a flying trip to Oakland yesterday on business.

William Sachau has established a butcher shop at Twenty-third avenue.

FRESHMEN WILL DEBATE TONIGHT.

BERKELEY, March 30.—The regular meeting of the Freshmen Debating Society will be held tonight in Stiles Hall. The subject of the debate is: "Resolved, That the present action of the Southern States in regard to negro suffrage is justifiable."

The affirmative side of the question will be upheld by C. R. Watkins, E. Shultz, and E. R. Hughes; the negative by G. Aoki, W. A. Bapner, and E. W. Bryan.

THE HUB

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BOARD OF TRADE MEET.

DISCUSS CONDITION IN SAN LEANDRO AFTER THE STORM.

SAN LEANDRO, March 30.—Monday evening the Board of Trade met in the Town Hall. The present conditions prevailing in the surrounding country in respect to crops were discussed by the board. There being but little business on account of the continued bad weather the board adjourned until the evening of the fourth Monday in April.

REPORTS ON 'COTS. Thomas McCauley of San Leandro stated to a TRIBUNE reporter Tuesday that the apriote crop for this year will be

the shortest known in several years. Mr. McCauley is a fruit buyer at the vicinity of San Leandro for a number of years and keeps a close watch on the condition of the orchards.

JAMES LINCOLN ILL. James Lincoln, one of San Leandro's oldest citizens, is very low with heart trouble at his home here. His many friends are greatly exercised over his condition.

CULVERTS. Large wooden culverts are being placed across Haywards avenue. The water ditches were badly rotted and filled with sediment.

ROCK CUTTERS. Rock gutters are being laid in front of the Estudillo House.

OFFICERS INSTALLED. The following officers were installed by the E. C. C. the local lodge of the Portuguese Union: President, Mrs. Mary Diaz; vice-president, Mrs. M. Straub; secretary, Mrs. M. Faustine; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Fields; marshal, Mrs. Alexander Rose; doorkeeper, Mrs. M. Silva; gas, Mrs. J. Silva.

After the exercises refreshments were served and dancing indulged in. Many guests were present from Haywards, Elmhurst and Oakland.

JUDGE BLODGETT IN POOR HEALTH.

CHICAGO, March 30.—Blind and delirious from fever, former Judge Henry W. Blodgett of the United States District Court has wandered from his residence in Waukegan during the brief absence of his daughter from his bedside. Many hours afterward he was taken home after having been brought to a police station. He was said to be greatly exhausted.

Former Judge Blodgett is 83 years old and has been ill all winter. During the last two weeks he has declined rapidly. His sight, which for some time had been bad, recently left him entirely. Since then he has not been permitted to leave the house unattended.

The temperature of the invalid was extremely high and his daughter, Carrie Blodgett spent the entire night at his bedside, leaving him early in the morning when he appeared to be resting.

She had hardly left the room when the sightless man arose and wandered away. On her return a few minutes later and the discovery of his absence a search was begun, in which many friends assisted.

When members of the family were in great fear for the safety of the wanderer, Policemen of the suburb returned him to the residence. He was still delirious and a physician was summoned to attend him.

PLENTY OF FOOD. NEW YORK, March 30.—A Japanese merchant left Port Arthur in one of the many Chinese junks which are now driving a profitable trade supplying Port Arthur with foodstuffs, estimates that the food supply is sufficient for one month, says a Times agent.

Let of March 10, ninety per cent of the Japanese projectiles burst. There were three small fires as a result, but no serious conflagrations.

NO GAME PLAYED YESTERDAY.

GOLDEN GATE, March 30.—A big crowd of baseball enthusiasts came out here yesterday to witness the scheduled game between San Francisco and Oakland teams but were compelled to go home filled with disappointment. In the morning representatives from the Oakland team came out and took a look at the grounds and it was decided that rain or shine the grounds were too wet to admit of a game. The diamond was certainly in bad shape and any sort of a game would have resulted in a wading match. Through some sort of a misunderstanding the San Francisco team was not informed of the fact that the Oakland had decided to call off the game and come over to play. Fully 500 people were turned away at the gates. The game has been postponed until Saturday.

NOTES. Dr. Farnum, who is running for the trusteeship in Emeryville where he resides, is putting up a strong fight for the place.

Fifty-third street, was in a better condition yesterday but all along San Pablo avenue and the side streets were covered with mud. There is a report that something will have to be done soon to remedy the inconvenience which has resulted from the recent rainfall.

The cottages which are being built on Sixty-second street are well along toward completion. They will probably be built for rent or sale.

YACHTSMAN IS DYING. TORONTO, Ont., March 30.—Aerist Jarvis, the well-known yachtsman, skipper of all the Canadian boats in the contests for the Canada's cup, is dying from tuberculosis.

SOFT, GLOSSY HAIR. It Can Only Be Had Where There Is No Dandruff.

Any man or woman who wants soft, glossy hair must be free of dandruff, which causes falling hair. Since it has become known that dandruff is a germ disease, the old hair preparations that were mostly scalp irritants, have been abandoned, and the public, barbers and doctors included, have taken to using Newbro's Herpicide, the only hair preparation that kills the dandruff germ. E. Dodd, Dickinson, North Dakota, says: "Herpicide not only cleanses the scalp from dandruff but prevents the hair falling out, but promotes a new growth. Herpicide keeps my hair very glossy. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Michigan. Bowman & Company special agents."

Box couches, \$5.99 each, regular \$8.50 article. We have a superior line of new furniture at "bargain prices." Corner Eleventh and Franklin. H. Schellhaus.

Keep Healthy. Sleep warm and comfortable. Get one of our top mattresses, union labor stamp on each, guaranteed the best in the market for the price. H. Schellhaus, corner Eleventh and Franklin.

Mrs. Chas. Smith of Times, Ohio, writes: "I have used every remedy for sick headache I could hear of for the past fifteen years, but Carter's Little Liver Pills did me more good than all the rest."

Open Like a Trunk. Box couches, \$5.99 each, regular \$8.50 article. We have a superior line of new furniture at "bargain prices." Corner Eleventh and Franklin. H. Schellhaus.

Thousands in the last are crating household goods and taking a team of the train, a train to the Santa Fe and the Santa Fe to California. Are your friends coming?

There are cheap colonist rates on the Santa Fe in March and April. You can deposit the money here and have the ticket telegraphed East. If interested, ask about it at 1112 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

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PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Lawrence Kehoe, sometimes known as Laurence Kehoe.

Notice is thus set for proving will, etc. Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the last will and testament of Lawrence Kehoe, sometimes known as Laurence Kehoe, deceased, and for the issuance to Annie Kehoe of a certificate of administration, was filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 11th day of April, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of the County of Alameda, at said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and for the admission of said will and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated March 31, 1904.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. ROGERS, Deputy Clerk.
J. M. McELROY, Attorney for Petitioner, 959 Broadway, Oakland, California.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of John Woods, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of John Woods, deceased, to all creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months next ensuing the date of publication of this notice to the said administratrix at the office of John W. Stearns, No. 322 Broadway, in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, State of California, at said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of John Woods, deceased.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 27th day of March, A. D. 1904.

Administratrix of the estate of John Woods, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, March 31st, 1904.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR PROPOSALS.

Sealed Proposals for Building in Oakland, Calif. Sealed proposals will be received at this building until 2 o'clock P. M. April 2nd, for furnishing and erecting water, fire, and steam supply, washing towels, hauling ashes and sprinkling streets for this building during the fiscal year ending July 1st, 1905. Plans and specifications may be deemed advisable. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved by the Treasury Department.

T. T. DARGIE, Comptroller.

